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The home of Sheila Bullock on Sand Springs Road was completely destroyed by fire Sunday night. Both the Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue and Pongo Volunteer Fire Department responded to the blaze. Bullock was not home at the time of the fire.

At special meeting of Fiscal Court Good turn-out for presentation of recreation and wellness complex

By: Perlina Anderkin

About 50 Rockcastle citizens attended Monday's special meeting of the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court, the majority to voice their support of one of the items on the agenda. That item was a presentation by Sam Hamilton, chairman of the Recreation and Wellness Task Force.

The task force was appointed last year by County Judge/Executive Buzz Carloftis and charged with coming up with a recommendation for a long range plan for development of recreation and wellness in the county. The only criteria for the task force was that the complex must be in a central location, the development potential of the property and high visibility of the complex.

The group worked to get public input, sending out a survey to citizens asking what they considered the recreation and wellness need was the in the county. According to Holly Hopkins, a task force member and Economic Development Director for the Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority (RCIDA), the return was "amazing." Hopkins told the court, "604 surveys were returned and county's with much more population than ours think a return of 200-300 is good. Of the 604 surveys returned, 568 were in favor of a recreation and wellness complex."

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Personnel procedures dominates City Council discussions Monday

By: Sara Coguer

The Mt. Vernon City Council met Monday night for the regular monthly meeting and a discussion about Mayor Mike Bryant's handling of personnel matters dominated much of the session. Councilwoman Shelly Lewis asked that personnel matters be added to the council's agenda, and when the time came, she and Councilwoman Jamie Bryant had several questions and comments for the mayor.

Council members Clark "Joe" Mullins and Sharon Saylor were not present.

Lewis asked the Mayor why the council did not know about the hiring on Friday, September 2nd of Barry Adams as assistant police chief, and the subsequent resignation of Chief Terry Jackson, until the following Tuesday. The Mayor

responded that Tuesday was the next business day, because Monday was a holiday (Labor Day).

Both Lewis and Bryant commented that they should have been informed on Friday when the hiring and resignation occurred, instead of having to hear about it from people in the community. Lewis said, "It gives us a disadvantage, as the legislative body of this city, when we do not know what is going on in a timely manner."

After much discussion, the Mayor agreed that he would, in the future, let the council know when important decision have been made and that he believes the council needs to know about in a timely manner.

Lewis also asked the Mayor if Chief Jackson was involved in the hiring of Adams and the Mayor re-

sponded that Tuesday was the next business day, because Monday was a holiday (Labor Day).

When Lewis pressed with the question of whether the mayor knew that Adam's hiring was going to result in the chief's resignation, the Mayor replied, "No," and then added, "Terry was a part of the process. Having input is not the same as having the authority to hire (personnel)."

When asked by Lewis if other individuals, including officers already on staff at the police department, were given the opportunity to apply for the assistant chief

position, the Mayor told the council that "applications for the police department are held for six months, but there was no one nearly as qualified as Mr. Adams for this position."

Both Lewis and Bryant reiterated several times that they did not have a problem with Adams being hired as assistant chief, but they were concerned with the process, as far as they knew and had heard from the community. Bryant stated, "I'm not saying Adams wasn't a good hire, but we lost a very good chief in the

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Eleven Indicted by Grand Jury

By: Sara Coguer

Eleven people were indicted in September by the Rockcastle County Grand Jury for offenses ranging from manufacturing methamphetamine to welfare fraud.

Among those indicted were: Jason Paul Robinson, 25, of Orlando on one count of manufacturing methamphetamine, first offense by possessing two or more items of chemicals or equipment with the intent to manufacture. His bond was set at \$25,000 cash/property.

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Open House set for Digital Mammography

The Diagnostic Imaging Department of the Rockcastle Regional Hospital will host a public Open House Thursday (tonight) from 5 - 7 p.m. to celebrate the new digital mammography service. The open house will be on the first floor of the Outpatient Services Center.

Tours of the new digital mammography suite will be available. Diagnostic Imaging staff will be available to answer questions and schedule mammography appointments. Visitors can see the difference between screen-film and digital mammography.

Kelange Spa of Somerset will provide free mini-hand-and-arm massages. Refreshments and educational resources will be provided.

Flu Shots available at Health Department

Flu shots are now available at the Rockcastle County Health Department. No appointment is necessary for anyone wanting the flu vaccination. Office hours are 8-4:30, Monday through Friday. For more information you may call the Health Department at 256-2242.

Blood drive Tuesday

A life saving opportunity to give blood is coming up on Tuesday, September 27th from 2 - 6:30 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon. The blood drive will be held in the gym of the church at 340 West Main Street.

Those wanting to donate must be 17 years old (16 with parental consent), weigh at least 110 pounds, be in general good health and meet additional requirements. Sixteen-year-olds must have a signed parental permission slip which can be found on the Kentucky Blood Center's website: www.kybloodcenter.org.

The Kentucky Blood Center, serving more than half of Kentucky's counties, is a non-profit organization dedicated to ensuring a safe, adequate blood supply for patients at nearly 70 Kentucky hospitals and clinics.

For more information call 1-800-775-2522.



Around fifty people attended Monday's fiscal court meeting to hear the presentation by the Recreation and Wellness Task Force for a proposed indoor and outdoor facility. Most everyone at the meeting came in support of the project and many made appeals to the court for their support.



Many members of the elementary, middle, and high school UNITE clubs, as well as community members released red and white balloons at halftime of the UNITE bowl football game. The red balloons were released in memory of those who have died as a consequence of drug abuse and the white balloons were released in honor of those who have fought, and are fighting the battle against drug abuse.

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Ramblings . . .

by:
Sara Anderkin Coguer,
Editor



I am not a public speaker, as was evident by my attempt to speak at the special called fiscal court meeting Monday morning.

Thank goodness for Sam Hamilton, Twila Burdette and Corey Craig, as well as many others who got up and spoke on behalf of a recreational and wellness complex.

They all spoke very eloquently and I hope the fiscal court got a good sense of how a lot of people in the county feel about the need for a complex.

I am very passionate about this subject, and I really don't believe my children will hang around here if things don't change. That does make me sad, but we have an opportunity to begin making Rockcastle County a place where our children will want to grow old.

There are five adult Anderkins younger than me, including grandchildren, and one of them lives here, because she is a teacher. The rest have moved on. How many more of our best and brightest have we lost because they don't teach or are not in the medical field? I just think we can do a better job of making our county somewhere people want to live.

I used to fuss about people from other counties being hired to teach here, and then not making the move to live here. I was fussing about it to Jason one day and he (who used to agree with me) finally said, "Why would they? What do we have to offer here?" Sad, but true.

I thought it interesting Tuesday when I was given a copy of a proclamation by the fiscal court in October of last year (right before an election) where all the magistrates signed that they believe (right before an election) that a wellness and recreation center would be a benefit for this county (right before an election). Now I know it was a general election and most of them didn't have opposition, but I hope that they haven't forgotten their proclamation, even though the elections are over.

I have faith that the magistrates will do the right thing and not use excuses

like money to kill this proposal. If memory serves me correctly, the fiscal court voted in June 2009 to borrow two million dollars to pave roads. So they are not against borrowing money. Now, I believe in good roads, and we will need them to travel out of the county if the fiscal court chooses not to move on the recreation and wellness complex proposal.

My youngest, Reese is running cross country and since we have to travel out of the county for every meet, I happened to be in Danville last Thursday afternoon and got to see another great facility, Millenium Park. I know that the argument that a park will bring economic dollars to the county doesn't want to be discussed by some but before I left Danville. Paige and I probably dropped over a hundred dollars at two different shopping locations.

Would it be impossible to imagine that happening here?

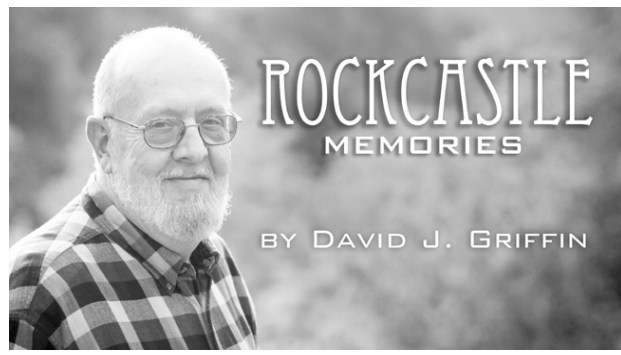
A couple of the magistrates have made the comment that all they have heard from their constituents are negative comments about a recreation and wellness facility.

That alarms me, and I hope it alarms you also. Call your magistrate now if you believe this complex is important to our county and our future.

The comment was made that a complex would not help with the obesity rate, would not get kids and parents more active, etc. My question to that is, how do you know and for goodness sake don't dismiss it. Would it be so awful for my family to have the opportunity to use this facility, even if we choose not to? We definitely won't if there isn't one there, but we sure might if there is.

Just give us a chance and if the quality of life for the people of this county who care about their well being doesn't improve, then you can say "I told you so". We'll never know, though, if we just sit around and do nothing.

I loved Zach Gentry's sentiment when he told the court, "If you are not going



ROCKCASTLE MEMORIES
BY DAVID J. GRIFFIN

"Friends helping Friends"

When I was a small boy living in Mt. Vernon, it was customary for us to help our friends with their chores so that we could go play when the work had been completed. Each of us had assigned jobs around the house, and we never gave it a second thought.

For example, when I was 7 or 8 years old, it was my responsibility to fill two coal buckets every evening after school, placing them behind the coal stove in the kitchen. Another chore of mine was to draw water out of our well, filling two buckets for the kitchen counter. And on a weekly basis, I had the task of cutting up small pieces of kindling and filling a wooden box so that my mother (Bee) could start fires in the morning to cook breakfast. These duties were just part of being a member of the family. It was expected of young children of that day; it was good experience for them.

Now that I have reached my golden years, I sometimes ponder the chores my friends and I had, recounting the times when we helped each other get them done in order to spend our time having fun.

One of my first really good friends was Kenneth Hansel, who lived just across old US 25 from my house in the Pine Grove section of Rockcastle County. There were countless times when we assisted one another in order to complete our duties. As soon as we could, we were often heading for the woods.

One of Kenneth's obligations was to weed his family's vegetable garden, and their garden was quite large. I remember knocking on his door one fine Saturday morning to see if he could go to Big Fill cave with me. His mother informed me, "Kenneth has to hoe the garden before he can do anything else."

So of course we grabbed two hoes and ran into his garden. You never saw two little boys work so hard. In a couple of hours that garden patch was pristine. His mother came down and inspected our work, Finding the job satisfactorily performed, she released us, saying, "Now you can go play."

On numerous occasions Kenneth came to my house and helped me carry in coal or mow the lawn so that we could play in the woods behind my house. One particular day, my grandfather (Pop) had already informed me that he needed my help picking corn for my grandmother (Mommie Katie), who would cut the corn off the ears and can it for later use. When Kenneth came over, we grabbed two galvanized buckets and headed

straight for the garden. Within a short time, we returned with enough corn to keep Mommie Katie busy for several hours. We then immediately ran straight into those woods. To see us, someone might think there was a fire or something, but we were just being boys. Boys run.

As we grew older, the responsibilities remained, but the specific chores were changed - or added to. Jim Barton Nunnelley had a very substantial paper route, delivering the daily Courier Journal in Mt. Vernon on his Vespa moped. On evenings when I spent the night with Jim Barton, we had to be up at 4 am in order to complete the delivery on time. While he drove, I sat on the back seat and threw the papers onto the porches of his customers. He often commented to me that his job was much easier when it was the two of us performing the deliveries.

And after reaching the age of being able to drive, I could always count on Bobby Joe Sweeney to help me with my car. When preparing for a double date, we worked together cleaning and waxing my '58 Chevy. Bobby did not have access to a car and loved to go with me. All I had to do was go by his house to pick him up, and we'd take my car to Pop's back yard and get out the hose. The two of us could make an automobile sparkle and shine.

One Saturday morning, I drove down to Gary Coffey's house to pick him up to play basketball at Jim Barton's basketball court. When I got there, he was busy raking leaves for his Dad. He asked if I could help him, already knowing that I would. We went to his garage, got the extra rake, and in short time all the leaves were gathered in bags for his father to haul off. We ran all the way to the bas-

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Points East

By Ike Adams



I may go weeks or even months without an episode of what believe to be vertigo even though two out of three doctors with whom I have consulted remain skeptical. But when it hits, it hits big time and the symptoms last for three or four days. Said symptoms consist of extreme dizziness and gut wrenching nausea.

Most recently last Friday night. I was getting ready to go to bed and it hit me all at once right beside our television cabinet/book shelf. It was not the first time I have fallen, but on all previous occasions I have been able to control the fall by grabbing hold of something or simply going to my knees.

But the bedroom was dark and I stepped on something that should not have been in the floor to begin with. Most likely my own dirty pants. I attempted to grab the top of the cabinet and go down easy but it didn't work out that way. My feet went out from under me as thought I stepped on banana peels and I crashed my right side with the full force of my 180 pounds into the corner of the cabinet.

The end result is severely sprained muscles and at least 4 fractured ribs. Those that aren't broken are badly

bruised. The first two days Loretta and Chris had to help me get into and out of bed and two a walker because moving the wrong way, even coughing, our taking a deep breath causes a pain so sharp that it takes my breath away.

Simply turning over in the bed is a process that takes two or three minutes as is getting into and out of bed and I break out in a sweat from the concentrated exertion. As long as I'm sitting or lying still, I feel almost no pain but anything that causes pressure to be put on my rib cage or requires the use of the muscles in my side is virtually unbearable. Extra strength Tylenol and/or Tramadol keep the ongoing pain in check but on the two or three occasions when I've sneezed, I have almost fainted.

But I've learned to get to my office chair and wheel myself around the house by using my feet to propel myself. A regular wheel chair is out of the question because of the pressure that using my right arm would put on my rib cage.

One doctor has told me that the symptoms do sound like classic vertigo except that I should feel it coming

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Our Readers Write

Now is the time to act...

Dear Editor:
 Rockcastle County can now make positive changes that will make a difference for generations to come. If you failed to read the Ramblings editorial in last week's Signal, do it now. If you did read it, re-read, as my mother did. It hits the nail on the head.

The passage of the much-maligned occupational tax has meant that we, as a county government and community, can now actually discuss things that were, in the past, completely off the table. Today we have the financial means to move forward to help make this community a more vibrant and enticing place in which to live. We have the natural beauty, we have the funds, and now we need the guts to move ahead of the 'no progress' CAVE (Citizens Against Virtually Everything) people.

Two of the most important lessons I have learned in all these years as county judge-executive have been this: Politically popular moves have a very short lifespan and generally do very little to help a community; and, When considering anything different, always keep focused on the long-term - twenty-year and longer - results. I believe in doing things that will be beneficial for years to come.

Our magistrates deserve respect for sitting an entire day listening to the possibilities of a future recreational and sports center. It was a hard day for all of us, but enlightening. The ball will soon land in their court for action on this important issue that shows we are for development. And I know they are capable of reaching a comprehensive, well-planned strategy. I know that with all my heart be-

cause fiscal courts just while I have been judge-executive have been firmly resolved to move forward with everything from an unpopular jail addition to protect and keep taxpayer money here at home to waterline extensions and the construction of a new business and industrial center to help keep jobs we were about to lose and to have a showcase ready for new businesses. All of these things cost money, and we will eventually be able to see the good results. Now we need to broaden our commitment to our youth and invest our funds in a recreational and sports center. The task force I appointed seventeen months ago to study the feasibility of such a project has now made their presentation to the court.

Now, regardless whether we, as a community, move forward or fail to act, there will be an ultimate result: nothing or a recreation and sports center. I prefer to see Rockcastle twenty and 30 years from now with a center that we began today.

Respectfully,
 Buzz Carloftis
 County Judge-Executive

Take a stand for the people...

Dear Editor,
 The recent discussion about a health/wellness facility in our county has really stirred up some great thoughts and feelings. My feelings about it is, "why not"! Why not for our kids? Why not for future generations? Why not have something nice in our county that we can all be proud of?

At a recent doctor's appointment in Richmond, my doctor commented she would give me something to help me sleep, but, "you know how you people in Rockcastle like to sell them." Whether that was meant to be funny or not, it

wasn't. That is what people think of our county.

What's wrong with focusing on a few good things in our county. Why does wanting a little progress always have to be such a controversy. Why can't, for once, we look at something and say, that would be good for the county, where do we start?

It's time we quit standing on the sidelines and start making progress in this county!

If the few negative comments that the magistrates have received makes them think that is the majority, well, I'm here to tell you, it's not!! Check your percentages of the negative vs. positive at Monday's meeting and decide for yourself.

Take a stand for something good for once in this county instead of seeing how many people you can come up with against the idea to make it "the right thing to do." Just do the right thing for once. People will remember that come election time.

Paige Bengé
 Mount Vernon, Ky.

More support for recreational center...

Dear Editor,
 I regret not voicing my opinion during the open discussion regarding the possibility of a wellness facility in our community, especially after Bill McKinney's remark concerning his doubt that our county's obesity rates would actually decline with this new endeavor.

This proposed recreational facility would provide the opportunity for our community to have access to recreational activities without leaving the county.

As a Registered Dietitian, I consult with families, kids, and adults who struggle with obesity on a daily basis. I teach them the basics of healthy eating, behavior change, and the importance of physical activity.

The research proves that family involvement, social interaction, and activity are keys to a healthy lifestyle. With this new facility, the families that I work with would have more opportunity year-round to continue their lifestyle changes.

If we have the chance to offer our county more resources for families of all economic backgrounds to develop a more active lifestyle, to decrease their risk of obesity and to help prevent chronic diseases such as heart disease and diabetes, then this project is worth the effort.

Many excellent points were provided regarding the beneficial aspects of having a wellness/recreational facility in our community, but let's not forget the opportunity to improve the health and well-being of the families of our community.

Lindsay Gabbard
 Registered Dietitian

"Ramblings"

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to use our occupational tax, then give it back to us so we can use it to buy gas to travel out of the county." Amen.

Be sure to read all of the letters to the editor in this week's Signal too. My sister Paige has an interesting story about the perception of people not from here, about the people from Rockcastle County. It too is sad, but true, and frankly I am tired of being the ugly stepsister.

"Points East"

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on. He says it must be triggered by something else with diabetes being the likely culprit. A neurologist has suggested that, after reviewing an MRI of my skull, my brain is beginning to atrophy and that may be causing it. Still another doctor has suggested that it's more likely caused by a vitamin, mineral or protein defi-

ciency. So I drink two bottles of high protein Boost every day and take a Centrum Silver pill.

But the bottom line is that modern medicine has yet to give me a cause, much less a solution to the problem that actually works.

So what I'm wondering is if any of you readers have or have had this problem and what you have done about it. I've already resigned myself to the fact that I'm going to have to take it slow and easy for the sprain and ribs to heal and realize that time and patience are the only solution that problem. This is not the first time I've had broken ribs. The last time was 25 years ago but the pain was enough that I remember it distinctly and know what I'm in for on that count.

In the meantime, I'm particularly interested in talking to any type 2 diabetics who may have had symptoms like the ones described above and whether or not you have been healed or healed yourselves.

"Memories"

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ketball court.

Penny Nunnelley was a couple of years older than me, but we occasionally double dated. Penny was responsible for running off the Sunday morning bulletin for the First Baptist Church, and I often helped him duplicate and fold the bulletins on Saturday afternoon so we could have plenty of time to get ready

for our dates. We had loads of fun in that old Studebaker of his.

I even remember a girl helping me with a class assignment. When I was a freshman at Mt. Vernon High School, my English teacher gave the class an assignment of writing a poem to recite in class. I asked Nancy Helton to give me some ideas for my poem. The result was the only poem I ever wrote.

One of my friends was Charles Shivel and his sister was named Ruth Jane: *I looked up one street and down the other*

No one could I see but Ruth Jane's brother

What I saw set my mind a whirl

That bum was flirting with my best girl.

When I read the poem to my English class everyone laughed and said it was very original. I don't think I ever thanked Nancy for her help.

I could not even begin to discuss how many times Buddy Cox helped me with my automobiles. And space certainly doesn't allow listing the specific times that he came to my rescue. He and I often worked on each other's cars. We habitually had great fun together - whether at work or at play.

In those days of the '50's and '60's, friends did not mind assisting each other with difficult chores. We did it because we were friends, and friends help each other. It was just that simple.

(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 and suggestions.)

Lost Dog



Lost: Small male Pug mix. Black with squirrely tail. Lost in Bryant Ridge, Brodhead area on Monday, Sept. 19th. His name is Jax. Call 758-4951 or 308-2874.

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Alex Albright

D. G. "Alex" Albright, 80, of Brodhead, died Sunday, September 18, 2011 at his residence. He was born in Spiro, on October 4, 1930 a son of the late John Benton and Molly Viola Hamm Albright. On September 22, 1951 Alex was united in marriage to Helen Blevins and from that union came three children. He was a farmer and the owner of Albright Livestock Trucking for 18 years. He enjoyed mules, horses, beagles, marbles and the Ottawa softball and volleyball teams. He had served as a Rockcastle County Magistrate from the 3rd district, a member of the Wagon Masters and the Ottawa Baptist Church.

He is survived by: his wife, Helen Blevins Albright of Brodhead; two children, Edgar Lynn (Brenda) Albright of Brodhead and Foneva Joy Albright (Ronnie) Todd of Crab Orchard; four grandchildren, Angela Janine Albright Cornelius, Natalie Lynne Albright, Michael Glen Todd and Ronald Kevin Todd; five great-grandchildren: Charles Kenneth Cornelius III, Cameron Lynn Cornelius, Madison Michelle Stewart, Michael Alex Todd and Abigail Grace Todd; one brother, P.D. (Marianne) Albright of Paris; three sisters, Mary Harper and P. Dawn Brock, both of Brodhead and Hazel Smiley of Straton, VA; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides his parents, he is preceded in death by: one son, Gordon Burnett Albright; three brothers, Jay Albright, Lloyd Keith Albright and Everett Moses Albright; and three sisters, Edith Brown Nicely, Leon McClure and Faye Hurley White.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, September 22, 2011 at 2 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Bro. R. C. Flynn officiating. Burial will follow in the Ottawa Cemetery.

Visitation for Mr. Alex Albright will be held on Wednesday September 21, 2011 from 6-9 p.m. and on Thursday, September 22, 2011 from 1 p.m. until time of service at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

Casketbearers are: Lynn Albright, Toby Mullins, Rob Brown, David Sisson, Jerry DeBoard, David Burton and Kenny Burton.

Honorary casketbearers are: Harris Burton, Junior Wolfe, Clinton Brown, Wayne Bullock, Willie Leece, Paul Napier, Charles Thompson and Shelby Brock.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Ottawa Cemetery Fund, 1693 Willailla Road, Brodhead, Kentucky 40409. Condolences to the family can be sent at

www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



Clayton Hammond

Clayton Hammond, 73, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, September 18, 2011 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born in Livingston, on March 30, 1938 the son of William "Willie" and Fannie Elizabeth Martin Hammond. He

was a retired business man and farmer, having owned Hammonds Market for many years. He was also a member of Freedom Baptist Church.

He is survived by: his wife of 51 years, Ann Childress Hammond of Mt. Vernon; two sons, Jeffery Clay (Blanca) Hammond of Mt. Vernon and Alan Lee (Shonna) Hammond of Lexington; two brothers, Frank (Vonnie) Hammond of Matlock, IA and Leonard "Roge" (Demi) Hammond of Mt. Vernon; and three sisters, Evelene (Jack) Raines of Mt. Vernon; Josephine (Calvin) Meadows of Ashland and Jalette (Joe) Hamm of Richmond. Also surviving are three grandchildren, Luis Oscar Araiza, Hannah Katherine Hammond and Reagan

Marie Hammond.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by: six brothers, King Swope, John, Willie Jr., Jack, Roland and Reuben; and four sisters, Ruby Strimple, Margaret Maupin, Ella Ellis and Reba Horn.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, September 21, 2011 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by Bro. David Sargent. Burial was in the Freedom Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Luis Araiza, Kermit Bowling, Terry Cook, Randy Durham, Bill Hammond, and David Holcomb.

Honorary pallbearers were: Calvin Meadows, Robert Miller, Jack Raines, and Paul Rice.

The family has requested donations be made to Freedom Baptist Church.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



Carlos Nelson Adams

Carlos Nelson Adams, 74, of Crab Orchard, died Thursday, September 15, 2011 at the University of Kentucky Hospital. He was born in Lincoln County, on September 20, 1936 to the late Roscoe and Dollie McClure Adams.

Survivors include: his son, Douglas (Elsie) Adams of Glenco; three brothers, Everett (Evelyn) Adams

and Tom (Emily) Adams, all of Crab Orchard, and Homer (Veretta) Adams of West Chester, OH; five grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and a host of nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by: first wife, Lottie Goode Adams; second wife, Shirley Shelton Brock Adams; brothers, Charles, Edward Adams, an infant brother, James E. Adams, and two stillborn brothers.

Pallbearers were: Wendell, Tommy, Keith and Brett Adams, Josh Hayes and Gary Shackelford.

Honorary pallbearers were: Doc and Joe Hoskins, Everett Harrison and George Burdine.

Services were held Monday, September 19, 2011 at the McKnight Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Donald Lear officiating. Burial was in Simpson Cemetery.



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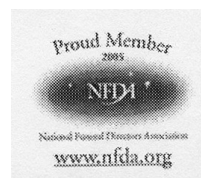
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Horace David Hager

Horace David Hager, 70, of Mt. Vernon, died Wednesday, September 14, 2011 at the Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital in Somerset. He was born on January 2, 1941 in Three Links, a son of the late Horace "Hoss" and Mary Stinnett Hager. On November 1, 1980 he was united in marriage to Janice Reynolds. He was a retired press operator for 39 years at Parker Seal in Berea, and enjoyed horseback riding, camping and fishing.

He is survived by: his wife, Janice Reynolds Hager of Mt. Vernon; one son, Darrell Wayne (Christie Green) Hager of Roundstone; two grandchil-

dren, Caroline Kelsey Green and Ira David Hager; four sisters, Elsie Centers, Ethel Anglin and Evelyn Ingram, all of Berea, and Dorene (Floyd) Mathews of Indianapolis, IN; a nephew, Doug (Brenda) Centers; and a host of nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews and many good friends who shared his love of trail riding.

Besides his parents, he is preceded in death by: one son, Russell David Hager; one brother, Harvey Hager; one sister, Jeanette Neeley; and one half-brother, Odell Hager.

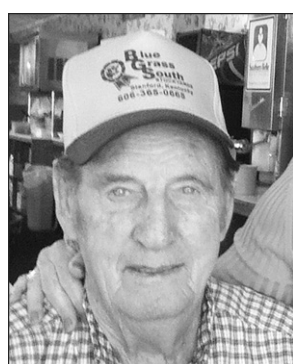
Funeral services were held September 17, 2011 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Bro. Jimmy Chrisman and Bro. Rick Reynolds officiating. Burial followed in the Robinson Cemetery in Cartersville.

Casketbearers were; Danny French, Jonnie Abrams, Danny Pennington, Jim Lamb, Henry Bowles and Connie Estes.

In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to the Markey Cancer Center, Lexington, KY.

A Fellowship meal followed at the home of Janice Hager.

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Emmer Harrison

Emmer Harrison, 76, born April 30, 1935, died unexpectedly September 19, 2011 at Rockcastle County Hospital in Mount Vernon. He retired from Wallace Metals after 25 years, then became a self-employed hardscape contractor.

He is survived by: two daughters, Sherry J. Taylor of Richmond, IN and Lynn (Steve) Brinker of Indianapolis, IN; a brother, Raymond Harrison; a sister, Faye Sams; five grandchildren; and 12 great grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by: his son, Emmer Stephen Harrison; grandson, Joseph Emmer Brinker; parents, Leonard and Lura Harrison; three brothers, Elmer, Gene and Randall; and two sisters, Louise Gibson and Mary Alcorn.

He also leaves behind a special friend, Jean Mink of Mount Vernon.

Memorial Services will be held at Free Pentecostal Victory Tabernacle Church, 335 S. 7th Richmond, IN, on Friday September 23, 2011, from 1 - 3 p.m. Pastor Johnny Shepard will officiate.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home is in charge of local arrangements.

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Curtis Edwin Helton

Curtis Edwin Helton, 88, of Cincinnati, OH, formerly of Brodhead, died Monday, September 19, 2011 at Veranda Gardens Assisted Living Center in Cincinnati, OH. He was born April 10, 1923 to the late William H. and Laura Osborne Helton.

Survivors include his sons, Curtis G. Helton of Fairfield, OH and Ricky D. Helton of Crab Orchard.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by: two sons, Jimmy and Gary Ray Helton; eight brothers, Ezra, John, Virgil, Lester, Alfred, Elijah, Clinton and James Helton; four sisters, Virlin Hasty, Viola Waldon, Geneva Farris and Mary Bussell.

Services will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, September 23, 2011 the Crab Orchard Baptist Church with Bro. Kaywood Morris officiating. Burial will be in Piney Grove Cemetery in Brodhead.

Visitation will be held after 6 p.m. (today) Thursday, September 22, 2011 at Crab Orchard Baptist Church.

Pallbearers will be Jacob, Andrew and Audie Brock.

McKnight Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

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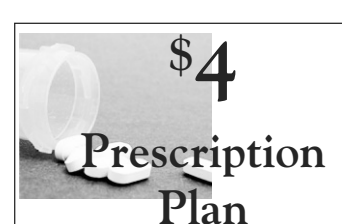
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CHURCH NEWS

Revival

Revival services will be held at Sand Springs Baptist Church, by Bro. Claude Gilbert of London, on Monday, September 26th at 7 o'clock nightly. Bro. Claude and the congregation invite everyone to attend. God bless you.

Revival

Livingston Pentecostal Church will be in Revival Sept. 26-30, at 7 o'clock each night, with Bro. George Mullins preaching. Bro. James Miller, pastor and congregation welcome everyone.

Bible Lessons and Worship to God

Come join us at Providence church of Christ for a special series of Bible lessons and worship to God, October 9-14, with guest speaker Church Bartlett. Sunday morning worship will be at 10 a.m., with a 2:30 p.m. congregational singing and afternoon worship at 4 p.m. Services Monday through Friday will begin at 7 p.m.

Old Fashion Service and Homecoming

Cupps Chapel Holiness Church on Copper Creek Road will hold an Old Fashion Service Friday night, Sept. 30th at 7 o'clock. Special preaching and the Praise Singers will be singing. Men wear overalls, ladies wear bonnets and aprons.

The Annual Homecoming will be held the following Sunday, October 2nd, beginning at noon. Marlow Napier from London will be preaching and the Praise Singers will sing. Bring a covered dish and come out and worship the Lord with us and enjoy good food.

Pastor Dwayne Carpenter and congregation invite everyone to attend.

Revival

Calloway Baptist Church will hold Revival Services Oct. 2-5 at 7 o'clock nightly. Bro. David Sargent will be preaching and there will be special singing each night. Everyone is welcome to attend.



The Singing Renners Reunion. Come join us for a night of worship at Northside Baptist Church Saturday Sept 24 at 7 pm.

Upcoming Reunions

Kirby/Cromer Reunion

All family and friends are invited to the annual Cecil Kirby (Jerry Kirby) Bessie Kirby (Jim Cromer) Reunion to be held September 24th, beginning at noon, at the home of Jenny Vickers (Kirby) - old U.S. 25 between Mt. Vernon and Berea. Turn onto Flat Gap Road about 1/2 mile to rown Vetch Lane, last house on left. Signs will be posted.

Everyone is encouraged to attend. Bring a covered dish and join with family and friends. Games for everyone and a drawing for a quilt.

McClure Reunion

The family of John and Fannie McClure will have their third annual reunion on Sat., Oct. 1 at 1 p.m. at the Kentucky Christian Assembly Camp in Brodhead, same as last year. All friends and family are welcome. Come and bring a dish and drinks and enjoy the day with everyone.

For mor einformation, contact Shery McClure Caldwell at 606-758-8617 or 606-308-1886.

Rowe Reunion

The family reunion of Rob and Winnie Price Rowe will be Sunday, September 25th at Logan Hubble Park in Lancaster. All friends and family are welcome. Will start about noon.

Henry Todd Reunion

The Henry Todd Reunion will be held Saturday, September 24th at Quail Park on Hwy. 70 at noon. Bring food and drink and enjoy the day with us.

Norton Reunion

The Norton Reunion will be held Sept. 25th at Skaggs Creek Baptist Church. Bring a covered dish and enjoy the day with family and friends. Lunch will be served about 12:45 p.m.

Homecoming and Revival

Maple Grove Baptist Church, located at 1148 Big Cave Road, will be having homecoming and revival September 25th - 30th. Homecoming on September 25th after morning service. Revival starts Sunday morning.. Monday through Friday services begin at 7 p.m. with Bro. Slade Rickels from Deland, Florida preaching. There will be special singing nightly.

Pastor Jerry Owens and the church welcomes everyone to enjoy the week at Maple Grove.

Gospel Singing

There will be a gospel singing at the West Brodhead Church of God on Sunday, September 25th at 6 p.m. featuring The Christian Cavaliers of Madisonville, Indiana. The church is located on Hwy. 3245 in Brodhead. Call 758-8216 for more information.

Hummel Homecoming

It was a wonderful day for the recent Hummel Homecoming with almost a hundred people meeting in Hummel Hollow to greet friends and enjoy good food and fellowship. They came from Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee and South Carolina.

Those attending were: Walker McGuire, Bonnie and Charles Brinkhaus, Randy, Matt and Em Reynolds, Irene Duncan and Debbie, Bob and Darlene Baker, Bobby and Linda Baker, Bryan and Jody Houk, David McGuire, Lou Bussell, Mike, Wanda and Jake Bussell, Blake Kiser and Leann, Sam ad Jeni Tallon, Gordon White and Megan Gainey, Rick and Sonya McGuire, Allen and Kathy Tucker, Sherry McLaffery, Peanut York, Bobby McGuire and Janice, Jim, Cindy, Jim, Jr., Leak, Keara, Janessa and Kegan Bennett, Jake and Julie Noel Ker.

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Thanks to everyone who came out, brought food and did anything to help. Thanks also to the Mt. Vernon Signal. Hope to see everyone next year.



Bond Reunion

The children, grandchildren and great grandchildren of John and Mary Bond of Brush Creek held a carry-in dinner at a nerby park on August 28th with about 120 present. Everyone had a great time and lots of great food. Shown in the photo are: Ed Bond of Richmond, Raymond and Dorothy Bond of Winchester, John and Betty Bond of Cherry Hill, New Jersey, Carl and Wilma Bond of Williamsburg, Cora Bond Hays, Rose Bond Brummett, Nonnetta Bond Tinell and Odella Martin, all of Richmond. We were pleased to have our cousin, Vick Bond, the Shearer Family and Mr. and James Steele present. Our parents and sister, Irene Bond Jackson are deceased.

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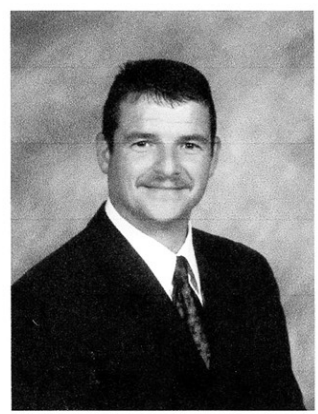
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Tues. Night Intercessory Prayer 7 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7 p.m.

Little Country Church
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Jack Weaver, Pastor
Sunday 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Livingston Baptist
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Bro. Steve McKinney, Pastor
606-758-4097
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Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

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Wayne Harding, Pastor
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
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Sun. Discipleship Training/Sunday Youth Missions 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Church 11 a.m.
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Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday
Adult & Youth Worship 7 p.m.
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Ottawa Baptist Church
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Church 11 a.m.
Sunday Discipleship Training/Youth Mission Groups 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services Youth Choir 6 p.m.
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Fr. Frank Brawner, Pastor
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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
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.
Sun. Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Thursday Night Worship 7:30 p.m.
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Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church
PO Box 1495
81 Limeplant Hollow Road
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456
Bro. Clyde Miller, Pastor
859-986-1579
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Prayer Meeting & Youth Service at 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Partners Ladies Meeting
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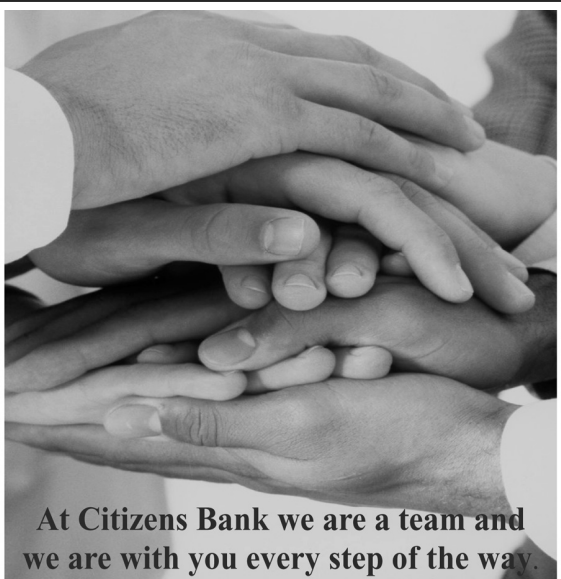
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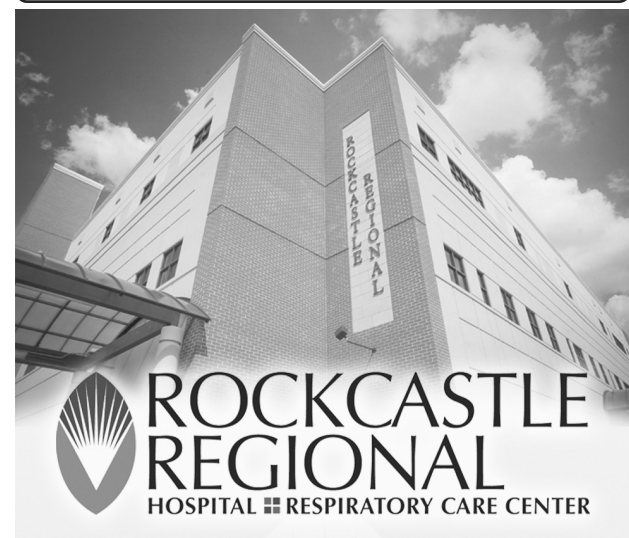


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JHAC to host Fall Fun Show October 1st

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October always can be counted on for excitement in Rockcastle County, beautiful foliage, the Bittersweet festival, and of course the Just Horsin' Around Fall Fun Show.

The JHAC has set the fun show for this Saturday October 1st at 5pm at the Brodhead Fairgrounds. The Crew has worked hard on helping to make this show as much fun as possible. For our 2011 fun show we have chosen to donate our proceeds to the Ashlee House located in Mt. Vernon.

At our fall show we have exciting classes, which include The Egg and Spoon class, The Flag Race, The Balloon Pop contest; we also have pleasure classes such as Rockcastle Co. only Pleasure, Spotted Pleasure, Juvenile Pleasure and much more. Aside from having pleasure classes we have classes for a variety of breeds including Mule Pleasure and a variety of Miniature classes; for our fall fun show the JHAC has added barrel racing and pole bending to our list of events. The JHAC has high hopes that this fun show will be more fun than ever before. Even if you don't have a horse, the food at the concession stand is more than worth coming for; we have Home-made BBQ pork, Tenderloin Sandwiches, Hamburgers, Hot dogs, and more! The JHAC invites everyone out to join the fun! The JHAC always wants to take a chance to honor our sponsors and all those in the community who support our organization we could not do it without everybody's support.

If anyone would like to donate to the JHAC you can contact Kayla Leger at (606) 308-3762 or Ashley Cash at (606) 308-5352.

Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

PUMPKIN COOKIES

Judy started making these for me when I was in California. She makes a double batch of the frosting, since I like it almost as well as I do the cookies. When I drove back to California after my two year stay in Lexington, Judy made many of these so I could eat them on my drive west. I had to spend an extra day near Albuquerque, New Mexico because of the snow. There seems to have been a rumor that I was delaying my arrival in San Francisco to get out of sharing my cookies. No, no, no—it had to be the snow.

1 cup pumpkin
1 cup sugar
2 cups self-rising flour
1/2 cup canola oil
1 egg
1 teaspoon cinnamon
Mix all of the above ingredients together. Drop by teaspoon on ungreased baking sheet. Bake at 350° about 10 minutes. Don't let get real brown.

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4 tablespoons butter
1/2 cup brown sugar
2 tablespoons milk
1 cup powdered sugar
3/4 teaspoon vanilla
Over medium heat, cook

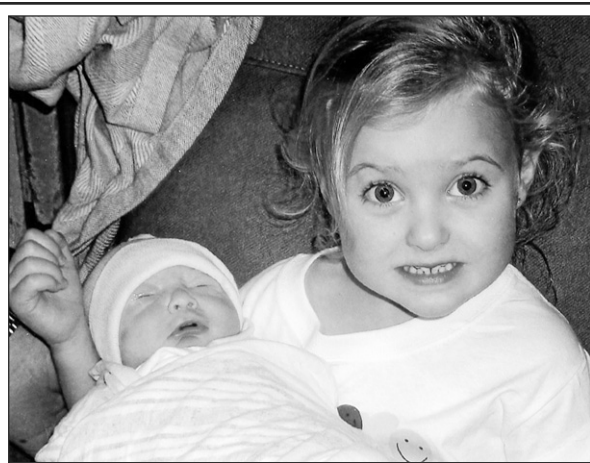
butter, brown sugar and milk until mixture begins to boil. Remove from heat. Add vanilla and powdered sugar. Stir until spreadable and all lumps are gone. Frost cookies. If icing gets hard, add a little milk, stir until it is again spreadable.

POP'S NO-BAKE PUMPKIN PIE

Pop (my father-in-law) used to put spice in this pie until Mom (mother-in-law) was diagnosed with diverticulitis and couldn't eat spices anymore. Add spices if you want, he pie is good either way.

1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup self-rising flour
2 eggs
2 cups pumpkin, cooked or canned
1 cup milk
1 cup frozen vanilla ice cream
1 baked pie shell

Combine sugar and flour in heavy saucepan. Add slightly beaten eggs and pumpkin; stir to combine. Over medium heat, slowly add milk. Stir until thickened—about 15 minutes. Remove from heat and add ice cream. Stir until ice cream melts, pour into pie shell. Refrigerate for two hours before eating.



Josh, Samantha and Emily Renner would like to welcome home the newest member of their family, Jacob Thomas Renner, born Thursday, September 15th at Pattie A. Clay weighing 8 lbs. 2 ozs. Proud grandparents are Jack and Debbie Bullock, Nora King and Harold Renner.

You can go home...

By: Ivan McKinney
West Chester, Ohio

It has been said "you can't go home again." Well, that is not altogether true and one experience this past Labor Day weekend proves to me that it can be done -- to a degree.

As a part of my celebration, I was privileged to accept a special invitation from Fred and Irene Graves McFerron to join them in the annual Graves Family Reunion at the old Blue Springs School. This is where I spent time between primer and 8th grade.

Reminiscing, I was able to pinpoint the exact spot where my seat was located and to recall how I shared that double seat with my best friend, Isaac Herrin, who challenged me to a fight almost daily on our walk home. No particular reason, he assured me, he just felt "lucky today." And there were a few times... Well, let us not talk about that!

But our friendship never wavered. Each morning, Ike and I took our position side-by-side and waited for the day's end. We often giggled together at some mischief around us. I remember one incident when the two of us had exceeded the bounds of the teacher's endurance and he proceeded to bend each of us over a desk and whack our rear end with a big Geography book I seem to recall that things weren't so funny after that!

Since neither my wife

nor I are connected to the Graves descendants, all of whom share title to the old school building, my invitation mostly had to do with the fact that I am now the oldest living student ever to have attended Blue Springs School. Lord willing, I will celebrate my 90th birthday two months hence on Nov. 9, 2011.

I renewed acquaintance with one young generation of Graves children when I opened my first service station in 1952 in Reading, Ohio. I had grown up with their parents, now here was Jack, Burl, Stanley and perhaps another cousin or two, all grown up and driving cars. They kept me in business!

I met most of those same guys again yesterday. I recalled that Stanley left us to join the military. He spent 30 years in the U.S. Air Force and another 20 as a civilian employee with the Air Force. He brought me up to date on those 50 years.

Meeting Stanley again was but one of the highlights of our day with the Graves families who have branched off in all directions - Nicelys, McFerrons, etc. But never have we felt more a part of any family than at the Graves' Reunion. In fact, my wife and I were among the last to leave and already have an invitation to join them against next year. We shall look forward to it.

Lost Dog

Lost: Small male Pug mix. Black with squirrely tail. Lost in Bryant Ridge, Brodhead area on Monday, Sept. 19th. His name is Jax. Call 758-4951 or 308-2874.



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County Clerk's Office Note

The office of Danetta Ford, County Clerk, will be closed Thursday, September 22nd to enable the staff to attend training.

Cheerleaders Reunion

Former RCHS cheerleaders will be recognized at the homecoming football game on September 30th. For more information go to 4ever.cheer@windstream.net.

Extension Office Exercise Classes

Free Exercise classes will be held at Bible Baptist Church on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 11 a.m. to noon. Daily stretching and strengthening movements are important for work and play. Come join us for an hour of movement to increase your flexibility, strength and balance. Everyone welcome. Call the Extension Office at 256-2403 for more information.

Turkey Shoot

Livingston Revitalization Committee will be hosting a Turkey Shoot on Sat., Sept. 24th, beginning at 10 a.m. at the Clyde Carpenter field, 1/2 mile south of Livingston and every two weeks thereafter.

Class of 1991 Reunion

RCHS Class of 1991 20 year reunion will be held at the Quail Community Park on October 1st at 7 p.m. Cost is \$15 per person. Contact Tonya Holman Stewart at 758-8341 or Rhonda Noel Brown at 606-308-5996 for details.

Free Adult Ed Classes

Rockcastle Adult Ed is offering free classes for adults. visit www.rockcastleadulthoodeducation.com or call 256-0218.

Gibson Picnic

A potluck for Gibson employees and retirees will be held at the Senior Citizen Building (behind Folk Center on Jefferson St., Berea) on Saturday, September 24th from 3 - 7 p.m. All Gibson employees and retirees are welcome to attend. Bring a dish and join in the fun. If you have questions, call Yvonne Payne at 859-986-8960 or Judy Rose at 859-986-7221.

Class of 2001 Reunion

RCHS Class of 2001 will hold their reunion on Sat., Oct. 8th. Please visit 2001rockets.blogspot.com for complete reunion and ticket information.

Back Yard Night

The Berea Parks and Recreation Department will offer a back yard game night for individuals with special needs of all ability levels and ages. Join us on Friday, September 30th from 6-8 p.m. at the Russel Action Folk Center in Berea for corn hole, badminton, volleyball, ring toss, basketball and more! Call 986-9402 for more information.

Parker Seal Picnic

The 10th annual Parker Seal Picnic will be held Saturday, September 24th from 11-2 at the Woodmen of the World Lodge on Haiti Road in Berea. Chicken will be furnished. Please bring a covered dish and drinks. All former employees and their families are welcome. We will have an auction if you would like to bring an item. All proceeds will go towards next year's reunion. For more information call Ruth Holman at 606-758-8544.

CCFFG Meeting

Concerned Citizens For Fair Government (CCFFG) will hold their regular meeting Thursday, Sept. 22nd at 6 p.m. on the third floor of the courthouse. Please use rear entrance.

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.

Kiwanis Club Meetings

The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at Renfro Valley Lodge. 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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“Indicted”

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Darci Kaye Walls, 21, of Orlando, was indicted on one count of complicity to manufacture methamphetamine, first offense. Her bond was set at \$15,000 cash or property.

Krystopher G. Garrison, 30, of Mt. Vernon, was indicted on one count of criminal mischief, first degree, by destroying or damaging property belonging to Wendell Renner of a value over \$1000 and one count of theft by unlawful taking, by taking property belonging to Wendell Renner of a value over \$500. His bond was set at \$20,000 cash or property.

Samuel E. Jackson, Jr., 21, of Ky. 421, Berea, was indicted on one count of criminal mischief, first degree, by destroying or damaging property belonging to Eddie Todd of a value over

\$1000 and one count of criminal attempt to burglary, second degree, by attempting to enter or remain unlawfully in a dwelling belonging to Eddie Todd with the intent to commit a crime. His bond was set at \$25,000 cash or property.

Paul Deatherage, 39, of Mt. Vernon, was indicted on four counts of burglary, third degree, by entering property belonging to the Kentucky Department of Transportation, with the intent to commit a crime on June 16, June 29, July 1 and July 6, one count of theft by unlawful taking, by taking property belonging to Swarts Enterprises on June 16 of a value over \$500 and four counts of theft by unlawful taking, by taking property belonging to Kentucky Department of Transportation on June 29, July 1, and July 6 of a value over \$500. His bond was set at \$50,000 cash or property.

Eddie Gentry, 34, of Mt.

Vernon, was indicted on two counts of theft by unlawful taking, by taking property belonging to Kentucky Department of Transportation on July 1 and July 6 of a value over \$500. His bond was set at \$50,000 cash or property.

Terenda B. Hellard, 32, of Mt. Vernon, was indicted on seven counts of complicity to theft by unlawful taking, by counseling planning, promoting or aiding Paul Deatherage and or Eddie Gentry in the theft of property belonging to Swarts Enterprises or Kentucky Department of Transportation of a value over \$500. Her bond was set at \$50,000 cash or property.

Walter B. Price, 59, of Mt. Vernon, was indicted on one count of receiving stolen property, by having in his possession property belonging to Kentucky Department of Transportation of a value over \$500 and knowing it to have been stolen. His bond was set at \$20,000 cash or property.

Gary L. Day, 45, of Brodhead, was indicted on one count of receiving stolen property, by having in his possession property belonging to Kentucky Department of Transportation of a value over \$500; and one count of receiving stolen property, by having in his possession property belonging to Swarts Enterprises of a value over \$500 and knowing it to have been stolen. His bond was set at \$40,000 cash or property.

Scottie K. Chatelle, 40, of Brodhead, was indicted on one count of receiving stolen property, by having in his possession property belonging to Kentucky Department of Transportation of a value over \$500 and knowing it to have been stolen. His bond was set at \$20,000 cash or property.

Tammy L. Blanton, 41, of Mt. Vernon, was indicted on one count of welfare fraud, by failing to report or disclose change of factors affecting eligibility for benefits from the Department of Health and Families Services of a value over \$100. Her bond was set at \$500 cash or property.

point and stated, “Mr. Adams has some strong attributes in dealing with drug issues, but it is by the grace of God that you [the city] didn’t get sued”

Lewis was also concerned that the council was not notified until after the fact that Mayor Bryant had reorganized city hall employees, citing KRS 83.590, which states that the [changes] should be recommended to the board of aldermen (the council) in an ordinance stating the changes made... Lewis’ concerns were that an ordinance was not presented to the council for their action, regarding the changes made by the mayor.

The mayor stated that he was not sure why there seemed to be a tug-of-war between him and the council. He stated he had sat through many city council meetings before he was hired and they were short and uneventful, and the council seemed rather agreeable.

Councilwoman Lewis told the Mayor that he had really only sat through meeting with interim mayor Gary Cromer and, “you need to read the paper if you think council meetings in the past with the previous mayor were uneventful or short.”

Two issues that were discussed and seemed to be unresolved was the current pay scale for city employees, which includes the assistant chief’s pay scale of \$13.25 per hour. This pay scale was enacted in 2004 and has not been updated

since, even though employee’s pay scales are much higher than what is stated. The Mayor told the council, “When I came on board, all, or a majority of salaries were way over cap, and I just followed the precedent that had been set.” The mayor reminded the council that they had approved the budget every year since 2004 with the salaries inflated above the pay scale. They agreed, but stated that the budget they were given only showed a lump sum for salaries, not a pay scale broken down by each individual position. Lewis asked that the pay scale for employees be revisited and updated by the council in the near future.

The other seemingly unresolved issue dealt with the reorganization of city employees and Lewis said she would bring it up again at the next meeting, even though the mayor stated that he was “through speaking on the subject.”

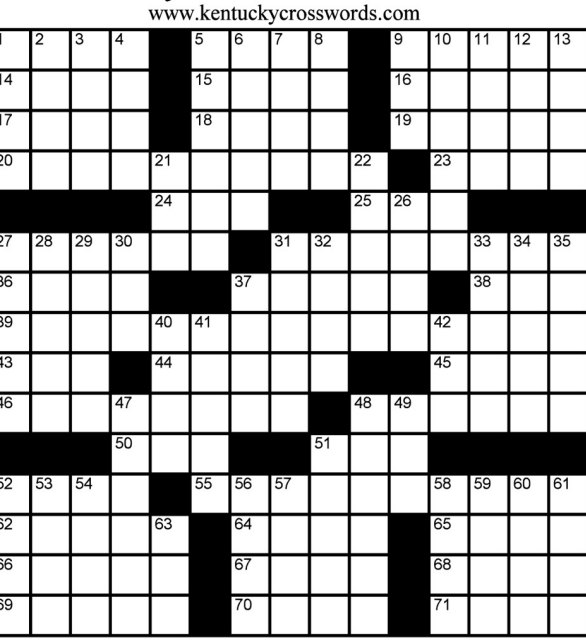
In other business, the council gave the first readings of both the 2011 property tax rate and vehicle tax rate. The council made a motion to accept the compensatory rate of 16.6 cents per \$100 for real and personal property, which is the

state recommended .01 cent increase from 2010. They also made a motion to accept the 16.7 cent per \$100 for vehicle tax, which did not change from last year.

The mayor gave updates on the Rose Hill Sewer project and the Crawford Street sidewalk project, stating the ground was broken on September 1st on the sewer project and should take 8-9 months to complete. Water superintendent Dennis McClure stated that the Crawford Street sidewalk project was about halfway through, and about 3/4 of the concrete has been poured. McClure stated, “another couple weeks of good weather and we should be finished.”

There was not a police report given and fire chief David Bales gave his fire report for August, which included: 24 runs with 15,800 gallons of water used. The Fire and Rescue was paged to: seven accidents with injuries and possible entrapment; 1 control burn investigation; 3 structure fires; 2 vehicle fires; 2 fire alarm activations; 3 smoke investigations; 1 hazardous materials investigation; 1 search and rescue; 1 public relations and 3 electrical investigations.

Kentucky Crossword # 506



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- ACROSS
- Tournament passes
 - Secured
 - Governor between Carroll and Collins
 - Score before 15
 - Early Peruvian
 - Home with a view
 - S-shaped molding
 - Within reach
 - Secluded valleys
 - Where the Kentucky River meets the Ohio
 - They have their pluses and minuses
 - Summer wear
 - World Bank lender: Abbr.
 - Antonym of weakly
 - Occupation of Kentucky bourbon developer
 - Ocean predator
 - South Carolina town with strong Derby ties
 - Like some humor
 - Appointed Kentucky Poet Laureate in 2011
 - Cambridge univ.
 - Time before a vigil
 - The life of Riley
 - A co-op may supply it in rural Kentucky
 - Cliff of UK’s “Fabulous Five”
 - Pikeville zone
 - Cornfield sound
 - Kentuckian, Nobel Prize winner Fenn
 - Kentucky’s oldest manmade reservoir
- DOWN
- Coalition
 - Lotus position discipline
 - Magoffin Co. community, or perpetually
 - Kentuckian Edgar Cayce?
 - A Kentucky explorer associated with Boone
 - Religious ceremony ritual
 - Ella Fitzgerald specialty
 - Poi source
 - Catch
 - Kentucky History Museum items
 - Snack since 1912
 - Early Derby promoter
 - Cape
 - “Out to lunch” in a text message
 - Frisco footballer
 - Elegant
 - English Channel feeder
 - The ___ of the Lonesome Pine”
 - Sharp as a tack
 - Setting of many jokes
 - Copycat
 - Visual representation: Var.
 - Fine-tune
 - Wipe clean
 - 2008 golf “Cup” held in Louisville
 - Start to freeze?
 - CPR pros
 - “River of ___”
 - Self starter?
 - Notable central Kentucky college
 - Ohio-Kentucky connector, Clay Wade ___ Bridge
 - Barley bristle
 - Where Minos ruled
 - Witty remark
 - Stewpot
 - Cart along
 - Start with while
 - Side that goes last
 - Capture the attention
 - Cassette contents
 - Pizzeria fixture or Letcher Co. “Fork”
 - Counter call
 - Tricky curve
- SOLUTION TO KY505
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Former Mayor Karen King was at the meeting to commend Bryant on the hiring of Adams as the assistant chief stating that he was on staff when she was elected Mayor and the city benefited from a lot of the forfeiture monies through the DEA that was made available due to Adam’s position.

Resident Michael Sheliga spoke up at this

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Rockets defeat Pulaski 34-13; Rowe out for Perry

By: Jason Coguer

It was a bitter sweet night for the Rockets last Friday

night when they defeated the Pulaski Maroons 34-13 in the Rockcastle Coalition U N I T E Bowl. The win helped the Rockets improve to 5-0 on the season and snap a two game losing streak to the Maroons.

The U N I T E Bowl victory came with a high price as Rockcastle's all time leading rusher, Clarke Rowe, left the third period with a shoulder injury, after scoring his second touchdown of the game.

In what was the most physical opponent to date for the Rockets, the Maroons also accomplished something no other team had been able to do this 2011 season and that was to claim a lead. Pulaski took advantage of a short field in the opening quarter and Aaron Smith hit Cody Wesley for a 37 yard pass

that went for six. The Rockets had to play catch up trailing for the first time all year at 7-0 with 9:12 left in the first.

After the teams traded possessions, Rockcastle put together a five play, 85 yard drive that ended with a 45 yard touchdown run by Rowe to tie the game at 7-7 with :26 left in the first quarter.

The second quarter saw another long drive by the Rocket offense, this time an 84 yard, nine play drive that ended when Corey McPhetridge found a wide open Eli Haddix in the end zone from 37 yards out to give Rockcastle a 15-7 lead at the half, after the conversion run by Rowe.

A Ben Lake fumble recovery and return to the Pulaski 42 set up McPhetridge to add another TD to his resume when he scored from two yards out and, when Rowe hit pay dirt from nine yards out, the Rockets had put up 28 unanswered points to go up 28-7 at the end of three quarters. However the touchdown run by Rowe would be his last run of the game as he left with a shoulder injury. Rowe finished with 183 yards and 23 carries including two touchdowns.

Pulaski added a late touchdown in the fourth quarter to pull within 28-13. Chris Luna, who had 18 carries for 82 yards, scored his only touchdown on a 21 yard run that sealed the fifth straight victory for the Rockets at 34-13.

The Rock defense turned in another fine performance only giving up 100 yards rushing and 71 yards through the air. Damien McDaniel led the way with 10 tackles followed by B.B. Bradley and Shafer who turned in eight tackles each. Lake and Nick Thomason had one sack each.

The injury report for the Rockets was extensive and several players may be game time decisions when the team travels to Hazard to take on the Perry Central Commodores.

Rowe will miss the game

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Rocket Notes:

Common Foes:

Rockcastle defeated Sheldon Clark 45-0 and Perry Central defeated Sheldon Clark 48-14.

Impressive Numbers:

- Rockcastle is averaging 43 points per game and giving up 8.6 points per game.
- The Rock offense has had over 300 yards of total offense in all five games this season.
- Perry Central is averaging 40 points per game this season.
- Clarke Rowe has 4,837 yards in his four year career at RCHS.

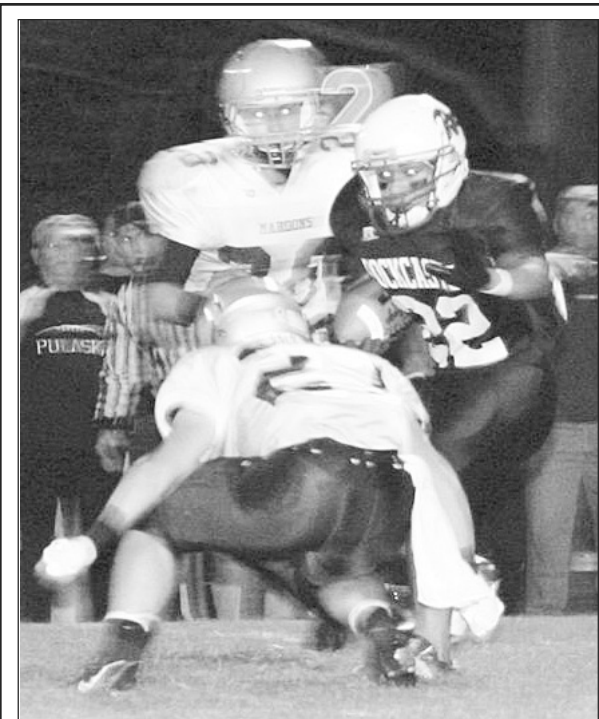
in the opening quarter and Aaron Smith hit Cody Wesley for a 37 yard pass



Clarke Rowe rushes for yardage in Friday night's 34-13 win over Pulaski County. Rowe left the game late in the third quarter with a dislocated shoulder, but not before scoring two touchdowns for the Rockets.



Center Jeremiah Brown hikes the ball to quarterback Corey McPhetridge during the Pulaski County game last Friday night.



Chris Luna ran for 82 yards and one touchdown on the night against Pulaski County.

Rockcastle Stats v. Pulaski Co.

OFFENSIVE YARDS GAINED

Total Rushing 273 yards

Total Passing 124 yards

ROCKCASTLE RUSHING

PLAYER	Attempts	Total Yards	Touchdowns
Chris Luna	15	82	1
Damien McDaniel	2	6	0
Corey McPhetridge	3	-3	1
Zack Reams	2	5	0
Clarke Rowe	25	183	2

ROCKCASTLE PASSING

PLAYER	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Total Yds.	Touchdowns
Corey McPhetridge	16	9	1	124	1

ROCKCASTLE RECEIVING

PLAYER	Attempts	Total Yards	Touchdowns
BB Bradley	2	17	0
Eli Haddix	1	35	1
Damien McDaniel	3	44	0
Zack Reams	12	12	0
Boone Saylor	1	16	0

ROCKCASTLE DEFENSE (Tackles)

PLAYER	Solos	Assists	TOTAL
BB Bradley	3	5	8
Curtis Causey	2	1	3
Spencer Childress	1	1	2
Ben Lake	3	1	4
Jared Lake	1	2	3
Damien McDaniel	3	7	10
Tommy Shafer	5	3	8
Tyler Smith	2	4	6
Nick Thomason	2	3	5
Steven Thomason	2	5	7

FUMBLE RECOVERIES

PLAYER	Fumble Recoveries	FR Touchdowns
Ben Lake	1	0

INTERCEPTIONS

PLAYER	Interceptions	Return Touchdowns
Damien McDaniel	1	0
Tyler Smith	1	0

RCHS girls' cross-country places 2nd at Boyle County; elementary team nearly defeats defending state champions

The RCHS girls' cross-country team finished 2nd out of ten teams in the Boyle County Invitational recently. Host Boyle County won the meet and continues to be ranked 1st in Class 2A Region 5, while Rockcastle is currently ranked 2nd.

RCHS also entered the top twenty in the Class 2A State rankings and are currently ranked 19th overall, a very impressive feat for such a young team.

Every varsity girl ran a season's best time in the meet. Freshman Rachel Cain led RCHS with a 12th place finish in an impressive 23:05.00. 7th grader Sierra Mercer continues to improve and placed 16th overall in 23:09.8. Freshman Alyssa Cox ran very well and placed 17th in 23:33.70.

Freshman Rakhi Patel had a

great race and finished 19th in 23:43.3. Freshman Samantha Bustle rounded out the scoring for RCHS with a 26th place finish in 24:51.80. 7th grader Lanna Prewitt placed 30th with an awesome effort of 25:30.30, while 8th grader Tori Phillips ran her best race of the season, finishing 55th in 28:19.50.

The Rockcastle girls' 6th grade and under team had another awesome team performance at the Boyle County Invitational on Thursday. Rockcastle narrowly missed defeating The Lexington School, last year's 6th grade and under Kentucky state champion team, losing by only 1 point. Many of Rockcastle's girls ran career best times.

Brooklyn Combs led all Rockcastle competitors

with a 4th place finish out of 103 runners in 8:30.5. Kira Owens placed in the top ten with an 8th place finish and a time of 8:52.8. Michelle Mink also placed in the top ten, finishing 9th in 8:53.1. Autumn Courtney finished 15th in 9:12.9. Clare Beichler rounded out the scoring for Rockcastle with a 23rd place finish in 9:32.5.

Others finishing with great races for Rockcastle included: 25) Jayna Singleton 9:33.80; 36) Kristen Davis 9:57.40; 38) Hannah Mullins 10:02.70; 48) Alysa Goodman 10:35.80; 52) Karalinn Loudermilk 10:46.50; 58) Lindsey Jones 11:03.70; 60) Lindsey Mahaffey 11:06.00; 62) Karina Coffey 11:10.90; 64) Savannah Neeley 11:11.70;

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The RCHS girls' team recently finished 2nd in the Boyle County Invitational and 5th at the Southern Harrier Classic hosted by Southwestern Pulaski. RCHS also broke into the top 20 in Class 2A and are currently ranked 19th. Team members included: Tori Phillips, Bryonna Cromer, Alyssa Cox, Rakhi Patel, Rachel Cain, Amber Collins, Alaina Coguer and Samantha Bustle. Not pictured: Sierra Mercer and Lanna Prewitt.



The Rockcastle girls' 6th grade and under team had another awesome team performance at the Boyle County Invitational on Thursday. Rockcastle placed 2nd and narrowly missed defeating The Lexington School, last year's 6th grade and under Kentucky state champion team, losing by only 1 point. Team members included, front from left: Karalinn Loudermilk, Karina Coffey and Jasmine Daniels. Back row from left: Alysa Goodman, Autumn Courtney, Brooklyn Combs, Kira Owens, Michelle Mink, Makayla Roberts, Peggy Lawson and Lindsey Mahaffey. Not pictured: Clare Beichler, Jayna Singleton, Kristen Davis, Hannah Mullins, Lindsey Jones, Luree Gabbard, Jacy Strunk, and Savannah Neeley.

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“Cross Country”
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67) Luree Gabbard 11:18.30; 68) Makayla Roberts 11:27.20; 78) Jasmine Daniels 12:31.60; 84) Peggy Lawson 13:03.50; and 86) Jacy Strunk 13:16.20.

Next for Rockcastle came the Southern Harrier Classic hosted by Southwestern Pulaski in Somerset this past Saturday. The RCHS girls’ team finished 5th overall with an impressive team performance despite having only one day between this meet and the Boyle County Invitational. South Oldham, the top ranked team in Class 2A placed 1st, defeating Class A powerhouse St. Henry by 5 points.

Rachel Cain led RCHS once again with a 25th place finish in an awesome season’s best time of 23:04.40. Alyssa Cox also ran a great race, placing 28th with a spectacular time of 23:36.30. Rahki Patel placed 30th with a terrific season’s best effort of 23:40.95. 8th grader Amber Collins ran in her first race of the season, finishing 37th with a great time of 24:28.41. Rockcastle’s top runner last year, Amber is in the middle of basketball season at RCMS, making her performance extremely impressive considering she hasn’t trained at all for distance running yet.

Bryonna Cromer ran a great race and placed 38th in a season’s best time of 24:28.70. Samantha Bustle ran very well, placing 46th overall in an impressive 25:33.35. Freshman Alaina Coguer ran well and turned in a career best performance, placing 60th overall in 28:55.77.

In the middle school race at Somerset, three members of the RCHS varsity team got a rare chance to compete in a middle school race. RCMS 7th grader Sierra Mercer placed 7th overall with a great race and a time of 14:11.12. 7th grader Lanna Prewitt also ran very well, finishing 17th overall in 15:28.16. 8th grader Tori Phillips had a great race and placed 27th in 17:17.02.

With three of their top six runners missing, Rockcastle’s elementary team still managed a 6th place finish overall and were only 4 points away from 4th. With those runners they would have mostly likely finished 2nd.

The team also posted their best team average of the season with an impressive time of 8:53.26 per girl. Once again, many career

best individual performances were realized by several of Rockcastle’s girls.

Autumn Courtney led Rockcastle with a time of 8:30.26 and a 17th place finish overall out of 93 runners in the meet. Brooklyn Combs placed 19th in 8:35.92. Michelle Mink finished 28th in 8:54.73. Nicole Rountree got into the scoring with a 33rd place finish in 9:11.97. Clare Beichler once again completed the scoring for Rockcastle with a 34th place finish in 9:13.39. Others with great performance included: 44) Alysa Goodman 9:44.70; 46) Karalinn Loudermilk 9:48.10; 66) Lindsey Jones 10:40.37;

69) Kristen Davis 10:47.92; 71) Lindsey Mahaffey 10:49.93; 74) Bailee Allen 11:03.55; 77) Kylee Fain 11:41.35; 78) Callie Lewis 11:45.63; 80) Savannah Neeley 11:48.99; 84) Luree Gabbard 11:59.47; 85) Karina Coffey 12:05.56; 89) Jasmine Daniels 12:45.95; 90) Hannah Mullins 1:06:41.00; and 91) Peggy Lawson 1:06:41.00.

Rockcastle next competes in the Berea Invitational this Saturday at Berea College.

“Football”
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and will be re-evaluated before going into district play in two weeks. Curtis Causey strained a muscle in the Pulaski game and will be questionable before the game on Friday night. Boone Saylor and Kenton Adams are nursing turned ankles. Spencer Childress and Tommy Shafer were checked out for possible concussions but both received a good bill of health and will be available.

Coach Parkey recognizes that this may be the Rocket’s toughest challenge yet as the Commodores will be bringing in a 5-0 record. “They are explosive on offense, and have three or four guys who can score from anywhere on the field. Their quarterback is a threat to run as well as pass.”

Adding the fact that Parkey will not have his leading rusher in the line-up could mean the Rockets could put their perfect 5-0 record in jeopardy but he seemed confident in his team when he said, “They will give us a different look on defense but we will be prepared for it, Luna, Reams, McDaniel, and Bradley will share the load at running back and they have



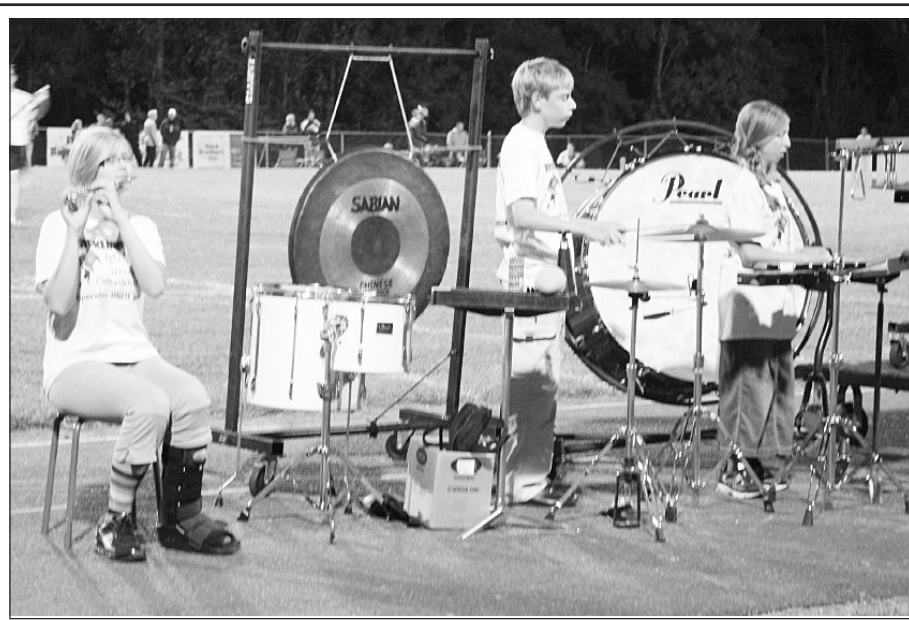
The Rocket seniors accepted the winning trophy for beating Pulaski County in the UNITE bowl Friday night. Shown, from left: Clarke Rowe, Spencer Childress, Jadon Brock, Ben Lake, Kenton Adams, BB Bradley, Zack Reams, Nick Thomason, Chris Luna, and Steven Thomason. Not pictured is senior Curtis Causey.

been getting the job done all year and our defense and special teams have been outstanding, it will take a total team effort.”

Kick-off is slated for 7:30 in Hazard.

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RCHS freshman Rachel Cain led RCHS and posted season best times at both Boyle County and Southwestern Pulaski this past week.

“Court”

(Cont. from front)

Hamilton gave a video presentation to the court and guests, detailing the statistics of the county, the composition of the task force, their early goals, their findings as to residents’ recreational habits and the basic requirements and benefits of the complex. The presentation also included statistics on the major health issues of the county, citing the fact that Kentucky is the 5th leading state in obesity at 31.8% of population, heart disease is the leading cause of death (25%), that only 19% of population meets the standards for aerobic activity and Rockcastle County has a 36.6% rate of physical inactivity.

Following Hamilton’s presentation, Twila Burdette, a member of the task force, spoke in favor of the facility, noting that it would not be just for children but rather an intergenerational facility. She also pointed out that not all children make school sports teams and there are no other activities available to them after a certain age. “We need to be proactive not just reactive,” Burdette told the court.

Doug Hamm, also a member of the task force, pointed out that at First Baptist Church, where soccer games are held on an acre of land on Saturday, “a thousand people show up. This is an example of the need here. We have done a good job with our children with great ability but not the children who just enjoy playing. This is the greatest opportunity I’ve seen in my lifetime for this community and we shouldn’t pass it by.”

Other speaking in favor of the project included Rockcastle County High School Asst. Principal Barry Noble who told the court that even though his 13-year-old son would probably not see any use of the facility, he was willing to go out on a limb for the “ones to come.” Noble said you cannot “put a price tag on the welfare of our citizens.”

Also speaking in support were Ryan Loudermilk, Angie Stallworth, Teresa Blair, Doug Proctor, Hank Vanzant, Bert King and Boone Saylor, who expressed confusion saying, he “thought part of the occupational tax was earmarked for recreation.” Carloftis responded that while this was true, extra money had had to be put in for operation of the jail. “In order to operate the jail by state standards, we have had

to increase our supplement to the jail from 4100,000 a few years ago to approximately \$450,000 now,” Carloftis said.

Mike McGuire told the magistrates that he supported the project but thought other properties should be considered along with the country club. McGuire was referring to Cedar Rapids Recreation Center, along with adjoining parcels belonging to Mike Smith, Doug Hamm, Johnny Newland and the Franklin property, which is one of the three properties being considered. The other two are a 184 tract belonging to Paul Cummins, Jones Oscar Ham and Lynn Parsons, located between 150 and 461 and 211 acres belonging to Henry Hayes and Poynter property, located three miles from 461 off St. Rd. 1326.

Former RCHS Finance Officer Richard Bray handed out a flyer listing the pros of the Cedar Rapids property, including the fact that it could pay for itself over time from season passes, golf course fees. The hand-out asserted that the revenue generated from the golf course should be ample to pay for any debt service for purchase of the property specifically (meaning only the Cedar Rapids property and not adjoining properties). But the hand-out also noted that the potential for future expansion into adjoining property is also a plus.

According to Bray, Cedar Rapids also meets three other important criteria for the complex: a swimming pool which was one of the priority items listed on the surveys; the most visible parcel of the three being considered and the most easily accessible.

Bray ended by telling the court that he felt they would be “remiss” by not taking advantage of this opportunity.

Corey Craig, chairman of the RCIDA, made an impassioned plea to the court, saying that a recreational complex was identified as a need in a strategic plan, drawn up, several years ago

by Leadership Rockcastle. He mentioned that an editorial in the *Signal* by editor Sara Coguer had brought many positive responses from the community and that an e-mail he sent out, enclosing the editorial, brought over 100 positive responses and another 15-20 to the bank’s (Citizens Bank’s) Face Book. Craig said this complex would be a recruitment tool for industry. He also said he felt it was time to debate the cost, location and what to include while being fiscally responsible and good stewards of the county’s assets. “I hope you can see there is a consensus, a desire for a facility such as this,” Craig told the court.

Of course, there were a couple of objections to the project presented. Michael Shilega told the court that this complex would “not change people’s exercise or eating habits. If we need another baseball field, build one.” Calling the presentation akin to a used car salesman’s pitch, Shilega asked, “how much is this going to cost?”

Gary Mason, of the CleftRock area also told the court that “we should know the cost” and asked why the question couldn’t be put on a ballot. He also asked why the court was going into closed session to discuss the properties and their costs. Carloftis responded that this question was not permitted, by law, to be put on the ballot and that the court was permitted to go into closed session to discuss land acquisition noting that no action would be taken in closed session.

Carloftis asked the magistrates for their comments and Gary Burdette responded that, with three grandsons, he would be for it and thought the county needed it. William Denny said he felt the court needed more input but that “raising kids starts at home” replying to assertions that the complex would be a good tool to help children stay away from addictions. Magistrate Ralph Allen had to leave during the meeting because of a prior commit-

ment. Lee Earl Adams was of the opinion that the court should look into the project but agreed with Denny that the comments on the project he had received had mostly been negative.

Magistrate Bill McKinney told the group he thought some of the statistics in the presentation were slanted as to potential health benefits and income to the county. “This is not going to take the obesity issue away,” McKinney said. And, as to the fact that it will help employment, “Jackson County has a complex and it didn’t bring in jobs there.” While noting that it would be good for kids, “it will not cure the drug problem. I’m not saying no but let’s not

fabricate numbers,” McKinney said. “Let’s promote it for kids and the wellness of our people.”

In other business, the court rescinded their original motion to accept a bid of \$41,598 from Codell Construction for replacement of the annex roof and, on recommendation of Administrative Office of the Court, awarded the bid to Isaacs Specialty Roof Systems for \$26,180. Codell’s bid included capping the roof turret all the way around and replacing any damage to the roof not listed and a 50 ft. walkway on the roof. The cost of the replacement will be paid by the Administrative Office of the Court.

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Thursday, September 22, 2011

Church St. Gallery welcomes artist Mark McFerron

On Friday, September 16th and Saturday the 17th, the Church Street Gallery had an art exhibition of Rockcastle County native – Mark McFerron. Presently living with his family, wife Lesley and their three children in Louisville, Mark has never lost his Rockcastle roots and memories.

The title of his exhibit "Art Affects Everyone" gave Mark the opportunity to revisit old friends and meet new residents interested in art. He shared stories of his childhood and how the Rockcastle River and surrounding nature impacted his view towards how he wanted to live his life and its influence on his painting career.

His art was grouped to reflect his painting techniques. He uses water colors as his medium but explores non-traditional materials such as the oil from walnuts and formaldehyde along with coffee grounds and sugar granules to give texture. Paintings of typical Kentucky scenes are very popular works. He displayed detailed water color paintings to abstract studies.

Many of Mark's paintings have become limited edition prints for organization fundraisers. Mark's prints of Rockcastle landmarks hang in public places such as local banks and many are privately owned. He recently completed a painting of a Florida marsh scene that will become the bottle label of a prominent rum producer out of Jupiter, Florida. Although McFerron has received national recognition for his work, he prides his title "Kentucky Artist" as his special notoriety.



Rockcastle native and Louisville artist Mark McFerron speaks with a patron at his gallery showing last Friday night at the Church Street Art Gallery & Studio.



Blast from the Past!!!

This week's photographs are of the old Mt. Vernon High School Gym (1927-1990.) The first photograph is of how the gym appeared in 1972, the last year the school was a high school. The second photograph is of a game between Mt. Vernon and Brodhead during the 1950's. These photographs are from the forthcoming Book, "Before Consolidation, The Golden Age of Rockcastle Basketball." If you have a photograph for Blast From The Past!!! Contact David Owens at 606-256-9870 or scoopowens24@yahoo.com.



Local artisans at Kentucky Guild Artist & Craftsmen Fair

Brodhead, Kentucky based broom maker Christopher Robbins will be demonstrating broom making and selling his brooms at the Kentucky Guild of Artists & Craftsmen Fall Fair in Berea, Kentucky on October 8-9. Christopher was selected to exhibit along with other talented artisans from throughout Kentucky. Christopher Robbins developed a love of broom making at age 14 when he began working in the broom shop at the Bittersweet Cabins in Renfro Valley, KY. He learned broom making from Jim Harmon, a master broom craftsman from Springfield, KY and in 2009; restoration was completed on an old family cabin which now houses his broom shop. In June 2010 Chris was hired as master broom maker at Berea College in Berea, Kentucky, where he along with his students produce brooms for clients all over the world.

His work can be viewed at www.broomsbychris.com but to really appreciate Chris's brooms, a trip to the show in Berea is a must.

On Saturday, Oct. 1, Janet Northern of Mt. Vernon will create bas-

kets using honeysuckle vines and willow bark from 10:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at the Kentucky Artisan Center at Berea.

Janet Northern has been making baskets for 13 years and is primarily self taught. She utilizes the wood and natural vines that she finds and gathers in the region surrounding her Rockcastle County farm to create her baskets. The eastern Ken-

tucky woodlands give Northern inspiration as well as material from which to work.

To prepare the honeysuckle vines, Northern boils the vines for 30 minutes and then strips off the outer bark to reveal the honey colored, pliable surface of the vine. When the vines are freshly cut they are pliable, but over time they dry out and need to be

soaked in water to re-soften them. Northern's smaller baskets are often made with reed and driftwood.

Starting with an interesting piece of wood, she begins to design her asymmetrical one-of-a-kind basket forms, often creating multiple openings. She soaks the honeysuckle vines in water, attaches them to the piece of wood chosen, and begins to weave her forms into asymmetrical and beautiful shapes.

Northern also creates baskets from the inner bark of willow trees. These are usually started with a criss-cross pattern and a square bottom. She tapers the willow bark into varying widths depending on the size and function of each basket. The bark is kept supple by soaking it in water before weaving.

Works by Janet Northern are regularly found at the Kentucky Artisan Center at Berea, located at 200 Artisan Way, just off Interstate 75 at exit 77 (Berea). The center's exhibits, shopping and travel information areas are open daily from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. and the café is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Just a few of the items you can find by artisan Chris Robbins at the Kentucky Guild Artist and Craftsmen Fair. Janet Northern will also be at the fair.

CONSTITUTION WEEK PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS; It is the privilege and duty of the American people to commemorate the two hundred twenty-fourth anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the United States of America with appropriate ceremonies and activities: and

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News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



Circuit Civil Suits

Suntrust Mortgage, Inc. vs. Larry Gentry, et al, \$52,663.57 plus claimed due.
 Patricia W. Smith, Executrix vs. Clyde N. White, complaint.
 US Bank Asso. vs. Kelly Hughes, et al, \$50,499.84 plus claimed due.
 Ann Marie Perez vs. Jose Del Carmen Perez, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00246

Marriage Licenses

Rachel Wright, 22, Mt. Vernon, teacher to Jesse Wright, 23, Mt. Vernon, pharmacy tech. 9/8/11
 Emily Cooper, 22, Lexington, college student to Stephen Powell, 25, Livingston, deputy. 9/15/11

Deeds Recorded

Billy and Marietta Jones, property on Old U.S. 25, to Wayne Wilmott. Tax 50c.
 Billy and Marietta Jones, property on old U.S. 25, to Johnnie M. Edwards. Tax 50c.
 Merrill Brown, property on McHargue Branch Road, to Scott and Wanda Coffey. Tax \$10.
 Justin Evans, property on Sand Springs Road, to Gary L. Brown. Tax \$6
 Kenneth Ray Owens, property on Old Mt. Vernon-Somerset Road, to Gladous Hazlett. No tax.
 Mattie Barron, property

in Rockcastle County, to High Dry Cemetery. No tax.
 Bobby and Leigha Cameron, property in Rockcastle County, to William D. and Kayla Dobbs. Tax \$100.
 Steve Ponder Const., property on U.S. Hwy. 25, to Brittney L. Blair and Lindsey R. Mullins. Tax \$15.
 Hobert E. and Annette J. Johnson, property on KY 490, to James D. and Darlene F. Hamilton Tax \$114.
 Joseph Richard Santos, property on Cass Bottom Road, to Debra Paris. Tax \$11.
 Flora Neal, property in Rockcastle County, to Edward Brock. No tax.
 Nick and Teresa Gentry, property on KY 1650, to Kimberly D. Harris Tax \$69.50.
 Larry Gentry, property in Valley Manor Subdv., James D. Howard. Tax \$77.50.
 Clayton and Debbie Cash, property in Rockcastle County, to Andrew and Chrissy Cash. Tax \$150.
 Rental Investment Inc., property on U.S. 25, to Michael W. Smith. Tax \$35.
 Alice Faulkner, property on Locust St., to Jeffery M. Hansel. Tax \$6.
 Robert W. and Tammy L. Shaver, property in Rockcastle County, to Brenda Hasty and Blake and Desiree Hasty. Tax \$10.

District Civil Suits

Credit Acceptance Corp. vs. Billy E. Bales, \$3,158.29 plus claimed due.
 Midland Funding LLC

vs. Jason Proctor, \$2,443.14 plus claimed due.
 Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care vs. Tony R. Kiskaden, \$3,292.68 plus claimed due.
 Capital One Bank USA vs. Kenneth B. Cole, \$785.13 plus claimed due.
 Lincoln Technical Institute, Inc. vs. James Harold Ballard, \$2,654.77 plus claimed due.
 Faith spires vs. Sherri Stevens, forcible detainer complaint.
 World Finance Corp. vs. Anna Nell Stephens, \$2,075.10 plus claimed due.
 Discover Bank vs. James E. Phillips, \$1,614.54 plus claimed due. C-00168

District Court

Sept. 9-12, 2011
Hon. Kathryn G. Wood
 Henry R. Haling: probation violation, 30 days in jail or payment of \$320 for restitution and 4 days/concurrent in lieu of fines and costs; public intoxication, 30 days/concurrent.
 Randi F. Saylor: fines/fees due (\$268), bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta), 6 days in jail or payment in full.
 Zachary D. Abney: fines/fees due (\$25),
 Speeding: Christopher L. Clark, paid \$30 fine plus \$133 costs; Earl Hallock, \$20 fine and costs/state traffic school (sts) authorized; Savannah M. Brumagen, paid \$32 fine plus \$133 costs; Lisa Garland, Lindsay R. Newton, Arthur Allen, Latonya D. Barnett, Joseph A. Borel, William A. Burkett, Jr., Deborah H. Faulhaber, Natalie Parmelee, Christopher D. Rak, Denny W. Rupp, Laura

M. Russell, Roger D. Sanders, Cristina J. Sandusky, Brandie R. Tucker, Jason P. Walton, license suspended for fta; Jerry C. Cain, Linda R. Kincer, Kerrie L. Myre, Christopher S. Reynolds, Jeffrey L. Trado, paid \$188; Stephanie L. Angel, Michael L. Spence, Walter R. Stokes, Jr., \$10 fine plus costs, sts authorized.
 Ervel W. Vocum: faulty equipment, \$25 fine and costs.
 Wayne A. English: speeding and failure to wear seat belts, paid.
 Sarah M. Harrison: speeding and following another vehicle too closely, license suspended for failure to appear.
 Jerry Dwayne Barron: criminal mischief/probated 24 months on condition plus costs.
 Jordan L. Cox: No operators license in possession, \$50 fine and costs; no/ expired registration receipt, \$25 fine.
 Brian Davidson: fines/fees due (\$293), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or payment in full.
 Amanda Gadd: fines/fees due (\$58), bw issued for fta/2 days in jail or payment in full.
 John B. Kemper: operating on suspended/revoked operators license; no motorcycle operators license; failure to maintain required insurance, license suspended for fta/bw issued.
 Larry D. Kirby: failure to wear seat belts, bond applied.
 Natasha McClure: failure to or improper signal, \$25 fine; no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, \$25 fine and costs.
 Christopher S. Mudd: fines/fees due (\$413), bw issued for fta/9 days in jail or payment in full.
 Gloria H. Phillips: fines/fees due (\$175), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or pay-

ment in full.
 James C. Phillips: fines/fees due, paid.
 Randi F. Saylor: fines/fees due (\$624), bw issued for fta, 14 days in jail or payment in full.
 Frankie D. Simpson: fines/fees due (\$203), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.
 Joshua L. Stewart: failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine, paid.
 James Tevis: speeding, \$30 fine and costs; operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$100 fine.
 William Renner: stalking, 180 days/to serve 120/ balance probated 24 months on condition.
 Nicholas W. Alcorn: fines/fees due (\$25), bw issued for fta/1 day in jail or payment in full.
 Cierra Bailey: fines/fees due (\$253), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or payment in full.
 Bryce W. Baker: fines/fees due (\$183), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.
 Brandon S. Collins: speeding, \$44 fine plus costs; operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$100 fine.
 Nicole A. Cotton: public intoxication controlled substance, bw issued for fta.
 Joseph M. Estep: fines/fees due (\$858), bw issued for fta/18 days in jail or payment in full.
 Dustin Frei: speeding, failure to produce insurance card, failure to notify address change, license suspended for fta.
 Tammy Hatcher: speeding and failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for fta.
 Angela M. Hopkins: use/possession drug paraphernalia, \$100 fine and costs and 30 days/probated 12 months on condition - fines and costs converted to 24 hours community service

work (csw).
 Angela S. James: fines/fees due (4103), bw issued for fta/3 days in jail or payment in full.
 Michael D. Johnson, Jr.: \$140 fine/costs converted to 3 days in jail/concurrent. \$200 restitution converted to civil judgment.
 Marilyn J. Kates: operating motor vehicle under influence alcohol/drugs and driving on DUI suspended license, bw issued for fta.
 Brian T. Leslie: speeding and operating motor vehicle with expired operators license, license suspended for fta.
 Randall L. Logsdon: speeding and failure to produce insurance crd, license suspended for fta.
 Jeffery F. Marlow: fines/fees due (\$309), bw issued for fta/7 days in jail or payment in full.
 Misty Gail McHone: fines/fees due (\$263), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or payment in full.
 Everett D. Morgan III: failure to wear seat belts and three other charges, license suspended for failure to appear.
 Terri R. Noe: fines/fees due (\$288), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or payment in full.
 Casey Renner: fines/fees due (\$158), 4 days in lieu of fines/costs, concurrent.
 Salina M. Smith: failure to maintain required insurance and operating on suspended/revoked operators license, license suspended for fta/bw issued.
 Megan R. Stewart: no operators/moped license, license suspended for fta.
 Billie J. Vaught: speeding and failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for fta.
 Michael D. Wyatt: DUI, 1st offense, \$200 fine and costs, \$375 service fee, 80 days operator license suspension, ADE authorized.

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Rockcastle Schools sweep UNITE awards



Members of the Mt. Vernon Elementary School Unite Club accepted the award for the Karen Engle UNITE Elementary Club of the Year award for 2010-11. Mt. Vernon has won the award for five years straight. Pictured, from left: Sonya Parker, Caroline White Melanie Mink, Sheradyn Cox, Mascot Peyton Bowman, Cindy McCullough, and UNITE representative Dan Smoot.



Members of the Rockcastle Middle School Unite Club accepted the award for the Karen Engle UNITE Middle School Club of the Year award for 2010-11. RCMS has won the award for three years straight. Pictured from left: Angie Payne (sponsor), Jaydon Bullock, Nathan Bradley, Joy Frith, Kim Hunter (sponsor), Tiffany Hamilton, Austin Brown, Jerri Lynn Williams, Lucas Jones, Caroline Coguer, Amelia Berryman, Jackson Cromer, Shelby Ham, Callie Carpenter, David Gabbard, Emily Payne, Sydney Hughes, Tiffany Fain, Maggie Franklin, Brittany Wright, Grant Bryant, Lindsey King, Michaela Hurt, Savannah Smith, Lanna Prewitt, Jesse Smith, Emily Childress, Katelyn Hensley, Emme Barker, Sarah Roberts, Faith Saylor, Madelyn Bullen, Leshia Cromer (sponsor), Arie-Anna Lawson, and Dan Smoot.



Members of the Rockcastle High School Unite Club accepted the award for the Karen Engle UNITE High School Club of the Year award for 2010-11. Pictured, from left: Courtney Mullins, Samantha Young, Beth Eaton, Hannah Eaton, Dusty McClure, Ashton Arvin, Erica Croucher and Dan Smoot.

We're Selling the Country!

This is only a partial list of our available property. For complete listings, please visit our website at www.fordbrothersinc.com Watch for different listings next week.

HOMES FOR SALE

120 Ocean Front View - This lovely vinyl sided singlewide mobile home features a dining/kitchen combo, living room, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths and utility room. Other amenities include covered front/rear porches, detached garage, gas furnace, central air, city water and septic system, situated on 1/2 acre lot. \$55,000. M2674

350 acres of highly productive farm land in the Knob Lick section. Four houses, barns, lots of road frontage, abundant water supply. This is one of Lincoln County's finest producing farms and it is improved with an excellent set of buildings as well as a modern residence and rental potential. \$1,700,000.00. Call for more details. M2684

What a View! This beautiful home features a LR, DR, Kitchen, FR w/ fireplace, 5 BR, 3 BA, and utility room. Other amenities include: heat pump, central air, large side deck, 1-car attached garage, drapes & blinds, carpet & tile flooring, city water & septic system, situated on 2 acres +/- with a beautiful view! \$149,900. M2695

Reduced! Private and Secluded! 23.8 acres m/l improved with brick home located minutes from Mt. Vernon. Property has over 1800 ft of creek frontage and has spring fed water. Home offers LR, din./kit, combo, family room, 3 BR and BA. Reduced to \$109,900. M2587

3 Minutes from I-75 - This 2-story rock and wood siding home features a LR, Kit, DR, master bed and master bath on the first floor. The second floor features 2 BR, 1 BA and office area. The basement features 2 BR, 1 BA and large utility room. Other amenities include: stove/oven, double oven, refrigerator, dishwasher, fireplace in LR, hardwood, carpet, tile, hp, c/a, 18x30 outbldg., 12x24 outbldg., 24x36 3-car detached garage, city water, septic, and is situated on 2.32 acres by survey. \$185,000. M2690

Starter Home! This house has three bedrooms, 1 bath, city water and sewer. Located in the Broadhead city limits within walking distance to school and the city park. Washer/dryer remain with the home. Don't let this one get away...priced at only \$47,500. M2658

Relaxed! Country Setting! A place to relax and enjoy the country life! Here's a brick home with a full basement and 29.5 acres. There's also a 30x60 store building, and a barn. \$215,000. M2665

Immaculate Home in the Country! That's the feeling you will receive when you see this 3 BR, 2 BA home situated on 2 nice country acres. Amenities include: 2 fireplaces, all kitchen appliances stay, central vac system, city water, black-top drive and much more. \$89,900. M2644

Cozy Cottage... located at 608 Little Hurricane Branch Road in the Conway section of Rockcastle County. This property is located near the end of the road and is private. Situated on 9/10 of an acre with well water. 1 BR, LR, DR, Kit and 1 BA. Plus a shop and a storage bldg. Needs a little TLC. M2694

Beautiful Country Setting! This brick ranch style home features a kit/dining combo, LR, 3 BR, 1 BA and finished basement with kitchen. Other amenities include barn, front porch, rear deck, chainlink fence, heat pump, central air, city water and septic situated on 5.24 acres by survey. Call today to view this property. \$114,900. M2670

Worth the Money! This 2000 Clayton 24x48 vinyl sided doublewide mobile home features a kit/din combo, LR, 3 BR, 2 BA and utility room. Other amenities: 24x26 metal detached garage bldg., 20x40 metal bldg., 10x14 storage bldg., electric heat, central air, closed-in rear porch, front porch, city water and septic system, all situated on 8/10 of an acre lot. Don't let this one pass you by! \$55,000. M2668

Location! Location! Location! This brick, ranch style home overlooking the famous Renfro Valley features a living room, dining room, kitchen w/hickory cabinets, 3 BR, 2 BA, and Utility room on the 1st floor. The basement features a 2-car garage FR, and large storage room. Amenities include: heat pump, central air, wood back-up heat, city water, septic, alarm system, water softener, blacktop drive, rear deck and front porch with a beautiful view! \$146,000. M2702

Looking for an excellent farming operation for both crop and pasture? Check this one out. 450 acres +/- in McCormick Church Road area. There are 2 houses, barns, metal shop and other out buildings. This farm is well watered and has an abundance of road frontage. Great location and is a farmer's farm...ready to start producing for you. \$1,200,000.00. M2683

Secluded Yet Convenient! Just a mile from town but you still get that good country feel. This charming 3 BR, 2 BA ranch style home is situated on 1.28 acres and has a beautiful view. Amenities include: central h/a, att. garage, stainless steel appliances, partially fenced yard, and much more. Hurry before it's too late! Priced at \$89,900. M2701

Twin Lakes Subdivision, Somerset, KY - This brick home contains approx. 1720 sq ft of living area on the 1st floor and features a foyer, LR, DR, Kit w/Oak cabinets, 3 BR, 2 BA, and Utility room. The walkout basement contains approx. 1708 sq ft of living area and features a recreation room w/ wet bar, FR, 2 BR, and 1 BA. Other amenities include: 2-car attached garage 2-car detached garage, large rear deck, above ground pool w/deck, hardwood, tile & carpet flooring, h/p, c/a, city water and a septic system. \$239,900. M2704

Walnut Grove Road, Pulaski Co - This brick and vinyl siding home situated on a 1/2 acre +/- lot features a LR, DR, Kit, 3 BR, 2 BA, Utility closet and a 24x28 2-car attached garage. Other amenities include: hardwood, carpet and vinyl flooring, heat pump, central air, front porch, rear deck, concrete sidewalks and driveway, city water and septic system. \$149,900. M2703

Country Setting! Brick and vinyl ranch-style home, large 1 acre lot in the Orlando community. 2 BR, LR, K/DR, bath, carport, just \$49,900. M2661

2 For The Price Of One - Two commercial buildings in downtown Crab Orchard. One building is a modern brick front and block single story. Building #2 is an older 2-story brick with the downstairs being rented. The upstairs is a 5-room apartment. Great for retail or office. Priced at \$110,000. Call for your appointment today! M2691

Richmond Street - 2 Commercial lots measuring 68/100 each. 135 ft of road frontage on each with water, sewer & KU electric. \$69,900 ea. M2402

Large commercial lot - 1/2 mile from I-75 - city water, sewer, US 25, Renfro Valley. Build to suit yourself, near Ky. Music Hall of Fame. \$25,900. M2648

83 1/2 Acres m/l in the Brindle Ridge/Lake Linville area. Offering development potential, this property overlooks the lake and is mostly tillable and pastureland with city water. \$289,000. M2626

Hwy. 3245, Brodhead. This tract contains 2.7 acres m/l and features a 24x30 metal garage bldg. City water available. \$23,000. M2659

Only 11 miles from I-75, this 110 acres of land has the potential for a lot of various possibilities: hiking, hunting, 4-wheeling, horseback riding or build your own cabin or home. Very private and secluded with cliff lines, boulders and a cave. \$89,000. R95920

"A" Rated! Prime and most perfect lots the best way to describe these well located lots! Located in an exclusive neighborhood between Mt. Vernon and Brodhead on Hwy 150, these restricted lots are ideal for your new dream home! Prices range between \$10,000 and \$14,500. M1941

Country Setting! Looking for land that offers hunting, deer, turkey, 4-wheeling and other recreation, lots of privacy - then check out this 70 acres. Property has barn, electric, city water, some fencing, and joins the Daniel Boone National Forest on back side. Road frontage on Hwy 1912. Asking \$59,000. R95680

Reduced!! It's Rare... but there is an excellent, level lot in Mt. Vernon available. City water/sewer, KU electric, restricted subdivision. This is a good buy, only \$16,900. M2666

167 acre Lincoln Co. Farm - 5 min. from Stanford, 20 min. from Danville. Prime location on Hwy. 78. Road frontage on 2 roads. There are 2 barns, crib, 2 ponds. Owner will divide or sell as a whole. Priced at \$459,000. M2662

41 Acres +/- located on Hwy. 618 in Mt. Vernon. This property is improved with 2 barns. Amenities include city water and 2 good springs. \$118,900. M2671

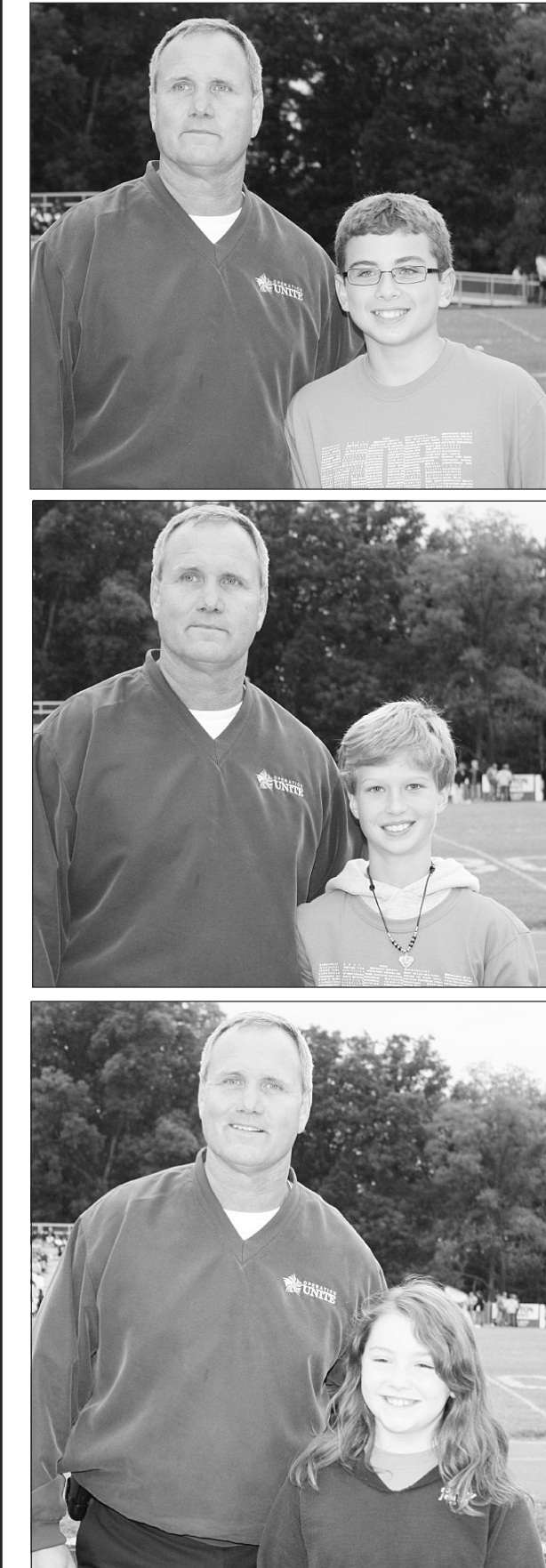
24.9 Acres by Survey - has blacktop road frontage along Allen Road. It has pasture land as well as wood land and is improved with a woven wire boundary fence. There is a pond and a creek on the property. City water is available. Ideal building site with plenty of elbow room. \$65,000. M2681

Lot #6 in Quail Landing Available - Nice lot located in the Quail Landing Subdivision. Restrictions available at Ford Brothers Mt. Vernon office. Call for more details. \$9,900. M2556

Approximately 1/2 acre lot in the city limits - located on Poplar Street, Mt. Vernon this unrestricted lot would be ideal for a walkout basement house. City water and sewer available. \$10,900. M2647

FUTURE AUCTIONS

Absolute Auction of The Petrey Family's 3 Farms Totaling 175 Acres in Tracts and Personal Property Sat. Sept. 24th at 10:30 a.m. • Hwy 39, Somerset	Absolute Estate Auction of The Late Ms. Martha Coffey's House & Lot Saturday, October 1st, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. 713 Hackney Court, Richmond, KY	Absolute Auction - Duplex, Mobile Home & Lot in Tracts Sat. October 1st at 11:00 a.m. 100 Lakeshore Drive-105 Palisades Court, Somerset
Absolute Estate Auction of the late Ms. Jean Chestnut's House & Lot & 2 Acres +/- Sat., Sept. 24th at 1 p.m. • 231 Sycamore St, Somerset	Absolute Auction - Brick House & Lot Sat. October 1st at 10 a.m. 104 Calumet Drive - Somerset	Absolute Auction of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hayes' 114 Acre +/- Grade A Dairy Farm in Tracts, Farm Equipment, Milking Equipment & Vehicle Saturday, October 1st, 2011 at 1:30 p.m. 382 Whitehead Cemetery Road, Brodhead, KY
Absolute Estate Auction of The Late Mr. Russell Parsons' 498 Acres more or less in Tracts ~ Houses ~ Barns Equipment ~ Personal Property Saturday, September 24th at 10:00 a.m. Chestnut Grove Rd and Big Orchard Rd, Near Brodhead, Ky.	Absolute Estate Auction the Late Mr. Stephen Langdon's House with lot, Collectible Glassware and Personal Property Saturday, October 1, 2011 - 10:30 a.m. 606 Terrace Drive, London	



UNITE poster contest winners

The UNITE poster contest, open to all elementary school UNITE Club members, was held the two weeks before the UNITE Bowl last Friday night.

The top three winners of the contest were recognized before the football game Friday night, receiving a t-shirt and gift certificate to Wendy's.

In the top photo, Evan Hendrickson, a 5th grader at Brodhead Elementary School, won first place in the contest. Evan is the son of Chris and Angie Hendrickson of Mt. Vernon.

In the middle photo, Jonmark Loudermilk, a 5th grader at Brodhead Elementary won second place. Jonmark is the son of Mark and Linda Loudermilk.

In the bottom photo, Tessa Pickle, a 5th grader at Roundstone Elementary won third place in the contest. She is the daughter of Michael and Crystal Pickle.

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Minds in the Middle

Congratulations to the RCMS Unite Club. For the third year in a row, the club has won the Youth Impact award as the middle school club of the year. The group has been awarded \$750 for their club to use to promote drug free living. The club would like to thank all of those who donated for the Unite Bowl toilet paper drive. RCMS collected 1,238 rolls of toilet paper.

On Tuesday, the 8th graders will be taking the ACT Explore assessment. This is part of the state required assessments and gives parents and students information about college readiness. All 8th graders need to be in attendance to avoid using a make-up session.

Wednesday, Sept. 28th will be fall pictures. Students should wear their best smile, and avoid wearing green.

Students who wish to participate in "See You at the Pole" should meet on Wednesday morning in front of RCMS. The program will begin at 7:30. "See You at the Pole" is a time of prayer and devotion for our students and staff.

There will be an after school dance this Friday, September 23. Students must have team and parent permission in order to attend and should be picked up at 5:00. Students who are not picked up by 5:15 will not be allowed to stay for the next dance.

The PTSA Photo Contest is underway. Contest rules and information can be obtained from homeroom teachers or in the office. Students and adults are eligible to enter. The contest will end on October 13th.

Congratulations to Mrs. Ballinger's 6th grade Enterprises homeroom on winning last week's attendance battle. Mrs. Wolfe's 7th grade Adventurers came in second place followed by Mrs. Bohannon's 6th grade Enterpriser's homeroom.

We are currently collecting Box Tops for Education. These can be found on a wide variety of products and earn money for our school.

"Artisans"

(Cont. from front)

Admission is free. The center currently features works by more than 650 artisans from 100 counties across the Commonwealth and a special exhibit "An Artful Array: Bowls by Kentucky Artisans." For more information call 859-985-5448.

The Kentucky Artisan Center at Berea is an agency in the Kentucky Tourism, Arts & Heritage Cabinet of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

The Kentucky Guild of Artists and Craftsmen Fall Fair presents a marketplace for extraordinary original art in a broad range of styles. Complementing the art is an exciting selection of handcrafted accessories and fine crafts. Artisans from across Kentucky will exhibit, sell, and take commissions for their handcrafted wares to the general public and art collectors. Show visitors meet the creators face-to-face, learn about their design process, and purchase directly from the artisan. Literally hundreds of products including furniture, rugs, stone-

work, glass, pottery, paintings, jewelry, and much more wait to be discovered. Music by Slight Departure from North Carolina, the Climax Trio from Climax Kentucky, and Sofa King Deluxe from Berea will add to your pleasure as you stroll through Indian Fort Theatre in Berea. A variety of food will be available to satisfy your hunger.

The Kentucky Guild Fall Fair, set to take place on October 8-9, occupies the Indian Fort Theatre at 2047.5 Big Hill Road on Highway 21 East in Berea KY. Artisans from across the Commonwealth will exhibit and sell their work. Show hours are 10 to 6 on Saturday and 10 to 5 on Sunday. Adult tickets cost \$5.00. Children under 12 are admitted free with an adult. Indian Fort Theatre is handicap accessible. Plenty of free parking is available.

For more information about Christopher Robbins visit www.broomsbychris.com. To learn more about the Kentucky Guild of Artists and Craftsmen please visit www.kyguild.org, email info@kyguild.org or call 859-986-3192.

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 11-CI-00154

PBK Bank Plaintiff
V.
Matthew Joel Shepherd, et al Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on August 12, 2011, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of TWO HUNDRED THIRTY SEVEN THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED EIGHTY FOUR DOLLARS AND 82/100 (\$237,384.82) plus interest, costs and attorney fees, I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, September 30, 2011
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded & described as follows:

PARCEL NO. 1

A certain lot or parcel of land lying and being on the west side of U.S. Highway No. 25 (Richmond Street) in the city of Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County, Kentucky and being more fully described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the right of way of Richmond Street, corner to Doug Rowe, et al; thence a westerly direction 225 feet with the line of Rowe to a point, a corner of Rowe and Cave Valley Properties; thence a southerly direction 60 feet with the line of Cave Valley Properties to a point, corner to Roland Mullins; thence an easterly direction 225 feet with the line of Roland Mullins to a point, corner of Mullins and the right of way of Richmond Street; thence a northerly direction 60 feet with the right of way of Richmond Street to the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Matthew Joel Shepherd, single from Beulah Shepherd, single, by Quitclaim Deed dated August 17, 2010, of record in Deed Book 232, Page 360, of the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office. Also being the same real property conveyed to Matthew Shepherd and Beulah Shepherd, husband and wife, by Deed dated January 21, 2006, executed by Roland Mullins and wife, Nancy Mullins, of record in Deed Book 209, Page 512, and by Deed of Correction dated July 31, 2006, of record in Deed Book 211, Page 626, all in the Office of the Clerk of the Rockcastle County Court, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

PARCEL NO. 2

Beginning at an iron pin set in the westerly right-of-way of Richmond Street (70' wide) and being the southeasterly corner of said Rowe property and the northeasterly corner of the property as conveyed to Matthew Shepherd by Deed Book 209, Page 512 and being the Point of Beginning of the tract herein to be described; Thence with the northerly line of said Shepherd, N 64 degrees 32'20" W a distance of 104.39 feet to an iron pin set for a new corner; thence crossing through aforesaid Rowe, the following two new courses: N 35 degrees 02'59" E a distance of 17.38 feet to an iron pin set; S 54 degrees 57'07" E a distance 102.93 feet to the Point of Beginning and containing 0.021 acres by survey. Subject to all legal highways and right-of-ways whether of record or not. All iron pins set are 1/2" by 18" rebar with orange plastic caps labeled "HUPP #3623". All measurements are based upon an actual field survey made by Covenant Surveying, LLC on the 20th day of December in the year of our Lord 2006. All bearings are based on the northerly right-of-way of School Street as being N 57 degrees 00'00" W as recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 6 in the office of the Rockcastle County Clerk. The above described tract is further delineated on a plat as recorded in Plat Book 4, Page 594.

Being the same property conveyed to Matthew Joel Shepherd, single from Beulah Shepherd, single, by Quitclaim Deed dated August 17, 2010, of record in Deed Book 232, Page 357, of the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office. Also being the same real property conveyed to Matthew Shepherd and Beulah Shepherd, husband and wife by Deed dated January 11, 2007, executed by Doug Rowe, single, of record in Deed Book 214, Page 164, and by Deed executed by John Woods dated October 26, 2007, of record in Deed Book 218, Page 612, all in the Office of the Clerk of the Rockcastle County Court, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

The property is subject to a 12 foot right-of-way for ingress and egress beginning on the Bishop side of Matthew Shepherd and wife, Beulah Shepherd's property thence going along the side to the end of their property and following Cave Valley back along their property to Doug Rowe and John Woods property as described in Deed Book 218, Page 612 and Deed Book 214, Page 164, of the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office.

PARCEL NO. 3

A certain lot or parcel of land lying and being on the west side of U.S. Highway 25 (Richmond Street) in the city of Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County, Kentucky and being more fully described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the right of way of Richmond Street, corner to Bobby Bishop; thence a westerly direction 225 feet with the line of Bishop to a point, corner of Bishop and Cave Valley Properties; thence a northerly direction 60 feet more or less with the line of Cave Valley Properties to a point, corner of Matthew and Beulah Shepherd; thence an easterly direction 225 feet with the line of Matthew and Beulah Shepherd to a point, corner of Shepherd and right of way of Richmond Street; thence a southerly direction 60 feet more or less with the right of way of Richmond Street to the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Matthew Joel Shepherd, single from Beulah Shepherd, single, by Quitclaim Deed dated August 17, 2010, of record in Deed Book 232, Page 363, of the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office. Also being the same real property conveyed to Matthew Shepherd and Beulah Shepherd, husband and wife by Deed dated February 28, 2007, executed by Roland Mullins and wife, Nancy Mullins, of record in Deed Book 214, Page 635, in the Office of the Clerk of the Rockcastle County Court, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky. And a lien on all equipment and fixtures therein.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:

- The real property shall be sold together as a whole.
- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
- Unpaid taxes of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall pay the 2011 local, county and state property taxes.
- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
- In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
- The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

John D. Ford
Master Commissioner • Rockcastle Circuit Court

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 11-CI-00119

**US Bank, NA (Successor by Merger
to Firstar Bank, NA) and
Federal Home Loan
Mortgage Corporation** Plaintiffs
V.

**James E. Denham, Amy Denham,
Bank One, NA, N/K/A JP Morgan
Chase Bank, and Rockcastle
County, Kentucky** Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on August 12, 2011, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of ONE HUNDRED TEN THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED THIRTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 68/100 (\$110,335.68) plus interest, costs and attorney fees, I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, September 30, 2011
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded & described as follows:

3029 Lambert Road, Berea, KY f/k/a 719 Lambert Road, Berea, KY

A tract of land on the east side of Copper Creek on the south side of Lambert Road approximately 3 miles west of US Highway #25 in Rockcastle County, Kentucky. The description of said tract begins at a steel pin and survey cap 10 feet south of the centerline of a 12 foot gravel road (Lambert Road), said pin being situated N 28 deg. 08'58" W, 301.62 feet, from a set stone (found); said stone being the original southeast corner to the eight acre parent tract.

The above mentioned tract is more particularly described as follows: From the above described beginning point four calls as follows: Leaving said beginning point a new line S 73 deg. 13'47" W, 420.87 feet, to a new corner in the centerline of Copper Creek, passing at 405.87 feet a steel pin and survey cap reference point; thence with the centerline of Copper Creek N 08 deg. 53'28" W, 168.60 feet to a new corner in the centerline of Copper Creek; thence leaving Copper Creek a new line N 73 deg. 13'47" E, 384.64 feet to a steel pin and survey cap situated 10 feet south of the centerline of Lambert Road, passing at 10.00 feet a steel pin and survey cap reference point; thence along the west side of beginning. The above described tract contains 1.544 acres as surveying by S.W. Waddle, PLS #2234, May 6, 2000.

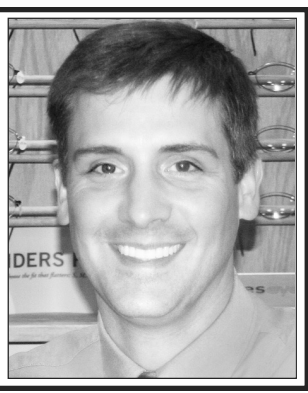
Being the same property acquired James E. Denham, single, by deed dated July 14, 2000, of record in Deed Book 180, page 391 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Court Clerk.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:

- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
- Unpaid taxes of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall pay the 2011 local, county and state property taxes.
- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
- In the event the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
- The risk of loss for the subject real property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale.
- The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

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**Eugene Senters and wife
Nivra Senters** Plaintiff
V.
**Jeffrey Leo Johnson and
Bonnie Louise Johnson** Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on August 12, 2011, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of ELEVEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 84/100 (\$11,285.54) plus interest, costs and attorney fees, I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, September 30, 2011
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded & described as follows:

Beginning at the corner of J.C. Griffin property line at a fence that begins at the corner of the Big City Mall. Thence following the J.C. Griffin property line along the fenced area in a westerly direction, a distance of approximately 100 feet to a post at McClure Street; thence southerly along McClure Street a distance of approximately 50 feet to a post that partially exists at Pike's line; thence easterly with Pike's line a distance of approximately 80 feet to a post, now partially existing, same being near the old Webb Theater building, now known as Karaoke building thence in a northerly direction along the back of the old Webb Theater building, a distance of 57.9 feet back to the point of beginning.

It is understood that there is a prescriptive easement across the property conveyed, which runs from School Street to the J.C. Griffin property, same being without any known record document.

It is further understood that this is a sale by boundary only as set forth above.

There is further included the 1991 Indiana Brandywine mobile home located on the property, VIN/HIN AL 1468I916655.

Being the same property which is subject to a Land Contract dated June 22, 2009 of record in Deed Book 226, Page 444 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:

- The real property and mobile home shall be sold together as a whole.
- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of twenty-five percent (25%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
- Unpaid taxes of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall pay the 2011 local, county and state property taxes.
- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
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John D. Ford
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For Rent: House or Trailer, with option to buy, in Brodhead. 758-4729. 42x1

For Rent: 2BR, 14x60 mobile home. In Mt. Vernon. \$350 month/\$350 deposit. 606-308-5548. 41x2p

For Rent: 3BR/2BA house in Brodhead. No inside pets. \$500 month/\$500 deposit. Cecil King 606-510-3719 or 606-510-3759. 42xntf

For Rent: 3BR mobile home, 1 1/2 bath, appliances, KU and water. No pets. \$575 month/\$225 deposit. 256-3514 or 308-4983. 42x1

For Rent: Large two story five bedroom home, 2 baths, living 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 October 1st. \$585. Security deposit and credit check required. Call 706-373-6877 or 606-758-9209. 41xntf

For Rent: Accepting applications at Mt. Vernon Housing Authority on Mondays 9 a.m. til 12 noon. Rent based on income. 256-4185. 14xntf

Accepting Applications: For 2 and 3 bedroom units at Valley View Apartments. Rent based on income. Call 256-5912. Equal Housing Opportunity, TDD for hearing impaired only. 1-800-247-2510. 36tfn

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Posted: Absolutely no trespassing on property of Dell Ponder on Red Hill and Black Bear Lick Lane. Violators will be prosecuted. (12/23/11)

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 trespassing on Crawford Place - Old Brodhead Road. Danny Smith. 47tfn

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

Posted: No trespassing, hunting or fishing on land belonging to Rachel Denney on Hwy. 3245 (former Reggie Bengé property).

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

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

Miscellaneous For Sale

For Sale: Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, Tenderette beans. The Pumpkin Patch will be opened Saturday, Sept. 24th. U pick. Sigmon Farm, Hurricane School Road.

For Sale: Motorcycle saddlebags, new baby blue cast iron porcelain bathroom sink, gas furnace, new mobile CB antennas, CB antenna rotar, new 12 inch compound saw with laser guide, dining room table. Call 606-758-4985.

Year End Plant Sale: Water Hyacinths, Schefflera, Spider, Wandering Jew, few others. Call 1-859-582-6408 3 to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday. 40x4p

For Sale: 4x5 rolled grass hay in Orlando area. Call for price. 859-626-2383. 37x6p

For Sale: Cemetery lots, Cresthaven Cemetery, Mt. Vernon. Call Bill Dowell at 308-1058. 31xntf

For Sale: 1960 Allis Chambers antique tractor with all original parts. Pool table, nice, bought new for \$2,500. Will sell for \$1,000. Excellent shape. Also has pool stick stand. Concrete yard items also for sale. 606-308-5550.

Mobile Homes For Sale

For Sale: House at 40 Shirley St., Mt. Vernon. 256-1680. 42x2p

For Sale: 1989 28x44 Clayton Doublewide mobile home and 2 acres +/- located at 3219 Quail Road, Mt. Vernon. \$34,900. Contact Jon Adams or Dennis Sargent at Citizens Bank 606-256-2500. 42x2

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For Sale: Long hair male Daschund, 9 month old, an Isabella breed, needs good home. \$250. 308-5550.

Lost & Found

Lost: Collie in Red Hill area. Please call 606-308-5282. 42x2

Lost: Black and grey part Lab/part Great Dane. Missing from Thompson residence on Freedom School Road since Friday. Has collar with name on it Reward offered. Call 606-256-9190. 41x2

Motor Vehicles For Sale

For Sale: 2005 Mercury Mountaineer, 69,431 miles. \$13,000. 606-386-0233. 26xntf

For Sale: 1960 Allis Chambers antique tractor with all original parts. 308-5550.

For Sale: 1990 Dodge Ram pickup. \$1,250. 308-5550.

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The following items may be recycled:
Newspapers w/inserts, magazines, books & catalogs, office paper, junk mail, phone books, plastic bottles & jugs (#1-7) (any size soda and water bottles, laundry detergent jugs, bleach and fabric softener jugs, milk and water jugs, cooking oil bottles and jugs, shampoo bottles, dish liquid and alcohol bottles (please rinse out jugs), metal cans (rinsed), empty aerosol cans, aluminum cans, glass bottles and jars, sheet glass, ceramics, computers, radios, phones, vacuum cleaners, clocks, cameras, camcorders, vcr/dvd players and satellite boxes.

Rechargeable batteries such as those found in: cordless power tools, cellular phones (the whole phone can be recycled), cordless phones, laptop computers, digital cameras, two-way radios, camcorders and remote control toys. If its says rechargeable on it, then it's recyclable!

Clean used motor oil may also be dropped off at the Rockcastle County Road Department during regular business hours.

Recycling trailers are also available at the following locations: City of Brodhead (gravel lot across from Citizens Bank), City of Livington (gravel lot across from old Livington Gymnasium), Brindle Ridge Volunteer Fire Department (at Conway) and at the Pongo Volunteer Fire Department. The trailers will only be pulled out to empty them and will then be taken back to the same location. Please help us make this a successful venture by being clean and/or neat with our recycling habits. Do not put anything in the individual bins except what is labeled on them. **Do not leave recyclables on the ground!** If you drop something on the ground, pick it up. **Absolutely no trash is to be put into the bins!** Remember, camera surveillance is utilized in Rockcastle County and it is illegal to improperly dispose of trash.

If additional information is needed, you can call the
Rockcastle County Solid Waste Office at 606-256-1902

Help Wanted

Wanted: Part/full time home health aide (male or female). Some week days, some nights, some weekends. I am presently under the care of a Home Health Aide who needs occasional time off. Idealic located in a beautiful setting, private and very comfortable accommodations: stipend and meals provided. Send details and references to Box 96, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 or call 606-669-1208 before 10 a.m. Dr. Michael Pavlick, DVM 42x2p

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Notice is hereby given that Christina E. Saylor, 1060 JB Circle, Berea, Ky. 40403 and Glenna Stewart, 125 Allen Douglas Dr., Richmond, Ky. 40475 have been appointed co-administratrixes of the estate of Mark Sean Fish on the 17th day of August, 2011. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Christina E. Saylor and Glenna Stewart or to Hon. Frankie C. Blevins, Jr., Blevins Law, 400 Richmond Road N., Suite C, Berea, Ky. 40403 on or before Feb. 20, 2012 at 11 a.m. 40x3

Notice is hereby given that Kenneth R. Taylor, P.O. Box 7, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed administrator with will annexed of the estate of James Edward Taylor on the 14th day of September, 2011. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Kenneth R. Taylor or to Hon. John D. Ford, 45 E. Main St., P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before March 14, 2012 at 11 a.m. 42x3

Notice is given that C.J. Williams, 60 Shirley St., Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has filed a Final Settlement of his accounts as Administrator of the estate of Nick Williams, deceased. A hearing on said settlement will be held October 17, 2011 at 11 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 42x1

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Notice is hereby given that Judy Bowling, P.O. Box 17, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 and Carolyn Cable, 3529 Hwy. 934, Somerset, Ky. 42503 have been appointed co-executrices of the estate of Mary E. Robinson on the 31st day of August, 2011. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Judy Bowling and Carolyn Cable or to Hon. William D. Gregory, 240 East Main St., P.O. Drawer 220, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before March 5, 2012 at 11 a.m. 42x1

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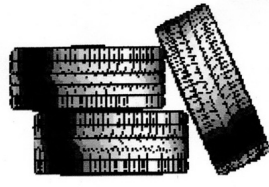
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Rocket Battalion soaring to new heights

The Rockcastle County High School JROTC (Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps) Program is running strong at the start of the 2011-2012 school year. The program has 46 freshmen enrolled, and 20 plus cadets participating in each of the teams. Our Battalion Formal Inspection from Fort Knox will be on November 2nd, so much more training is needed for the battalion to earn the coveted Honor Unit with Distinction. Our battalion commander and the cadet staff are working hard to attain this goal as well as motivating each cadet to become better citizens.

Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Felicia Boggs has the job of overseeing the entire battalion. Her personal staff includes the Battalion Executive Officer Cadet Major Jordan Moore and Cadet Command Sergeant Major Adam Poynter. The executive officer oversees the cadet staff and makes sure they do their jobs. The command sergeant major oversees the enlisted part of the battalion, which is any cadet under the rank of Second Lieutenant.

The cadet staff for this school year is the following: S-1 Cadet Second Lieutenant Amethyst Chiantaretto, S-2 Cadet Sergeant David Wynn, S-3 Cadet Major Jacob Houk, S-4 Cadet Second Lieutenant Aaron Baggett, and the S-5 Cadet Second Lieutenant Tiffany Howard. The Company Commanders for this year are Captain Josh Linville, and Captain Justin Houk. The S-1 is the Battalion Adjutant, she maintains all cadet records and makes sure all promotion and award orders for all cadets are completed within a reasonable time. The S-2 is the security officer; who makes sure all weapons are accounted after all practices and maintains them as well. The S-3 is the training/operations officer; he conducts the entire training of the battalion

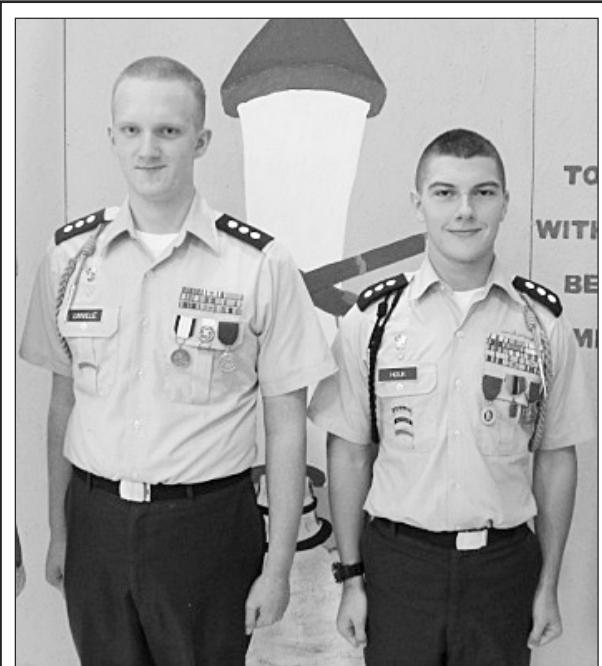
as well as coordinating and planning events such as the Veterans Day Ceremony and the preparation of the battalion at parades and competitions. The S-4 is the supply officer, who issues all uniforms and clothing to each cadet and also makes sure all materials are accounted for. The S-5 is the public relations officer, she takes pictures at all the events we go to as well as write articles for the newspapers to tell the public what the battalion has accomplished. She also completes a scrapbook containing events that have occurred over the entire year. The company commanders are in charge of their company which consists of 82 cadets.

All Rocket Battalion

teams are working hard this year. During the summer practices were held weekly for cadets involved in each team to keep them active and be more prepared for this year's competitions. Our battalion has the following: Drill team, Rifle team, and Raider team. Drill team involves color guards and rifle drill. You can see some of the drill team at sporting events when they post the colors and even at parades when they lead them by carrying the national and state flag. The Rifle team shoots Authorized Air Rifles, which is much harder than it seems. Raider team is the most physical of all three teams. This team involves events such as the Physical Training test, rope bridge, and

even map reading, which requires a lot of team work, dedication, as well as mental and physical endurance. Our first competitions of the year will be the McCreary County Raider Rendezvous (Sep. 11-13th), and the ECU Cadet Stakes (Sep. 24th), which are both Raider team competitions.

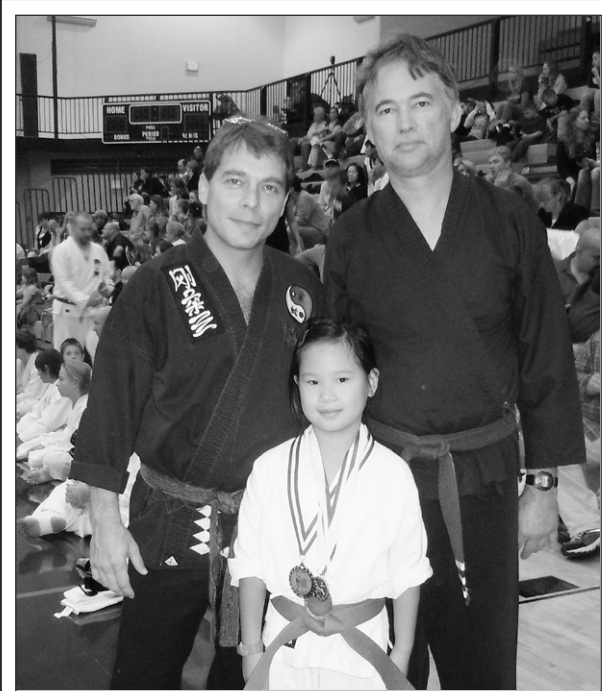
The JROTC Program builds leadership and encourages you to push yourself beyond what you think you can do. It shows you what you're truly capable of doing and it gives you the needed resources to achieve what you want out of life. Cadets can attain the goals that they set for themselves. So yes JROTC is an elective class in high school, but to me, and many others it's much more than that.



Rockcastle County High School JROTC members Josh Linville and Justin Houk.



Rockcastle County High School JROTC members, front from left: Amy Chiantaretto, Felicia Boggs, Tiffany Howard and Jordan Moore. Back row from left: David Wynn, Jacob Houk, Aaron Baggett and Adam Poynter.



Jenna Wells, daughter of Janet and John Wells, Jr., won two medals at the Sin The' Fall Gathering Karate Tournament held on September 17th in Lexington. Jenna earned a gold medal (first place) in Weapons and a silver medal (second place) in Sparring in the Age 7 and under division. She is pictured with her instructors, Master Eric Bullock (left) and her father, Sensei John Wells. Jenna is a third grader at Brodhead Elementary.

Cheerleaders Reunion

Former RCHS cheerleaders will be recognized at the Rockcastle Rockets homecoming football game on September 30th.

For more info. go to 4ever.cheer@windstream.net.

Bond and Miller named Scholars

Rockcastle County High School students Starla Bond and Ethan Miller have been named Senator Jeff Green Scholars. Students earn this designation by achieving a 4.0 grade point average all four years of high school and scoring at least a 28 composite on the ACT.

These students have also earned \$2,500 a year in Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES) awards. Their awards may be renewed each year of college if they continue high scholastic achievement, making the total value of their KEES worth \$10,000.

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50 attend Pine Hill School Reunion

The 16th Pine Hill School Reunion was held at the Pine Hill Baptist Church Saturday, September 3rd with 50 people attending.

Those attending were: Willetta Owens, Betty Lou French, Lorene Kirby, Phyllis Kirby, Nell Wanda Reynolds, Lorene Ponder, Bennett Ponder, Paige Ponder, Estil and Ann Clifford, Bobby Hurd, Nell Hurd, Billy Marshall, Bill Cash, Ken Parrett, Paul Thomason, Keith Singleton (teacher at Pine Hill for the last seven year) Joe E Barnes, Benny Kirby, Loyd McHargue, Ed C. McHargue, Don and Dianne Bradley, Robert and

Connie Barnes, Lorie Barnes, Benton and Wanda Miller, Louise Kendrick, David Stewart, Doris (Smith) Thompson, Billy and Betty Barnes, Helen Fain, Oscar Fain, Cindy Fain King, Jeff King, Lindsey King, Lauren King, Garry Fain, Kylee Fain, Curtis and Darla Miller, Betty Jones Ramsey, Teresa Parrett, John Thomas Kelly, ElvaLena Payne Marcum. Oldest attending was Lorene Kirby,

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- Tract 5** - Contains 5.14 acres and is located on the corner of Chestnut Grove Road and Big Orchard Road. This tract consists of mostly tillable land. There is a Mobile Home selling with this tract.
- Tract 6** - Contains 5.18 acres and fronts on Big Orchard Road. This tract consists of mostly tillable land.
- Tract 7** - Contains 18.29 acres and fronts on Big Orchard Road. This tract consists of mostly tillable land with a few acres of woods.
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- Tract 10** - Contains 13.26 acres and fronts on Big Orchard Road. This tract consists of both tillable and wood land.
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- Tract 15** - Contains 58.50 acres and fronts on Big Orchard Extension. This tract is mostly cleared land with some woods.
- Tract 16** - Contains 88.48 acres and is located at the end of Big Orchard Extension Road. This tract contains lots of good, cleared land with some woods.
- Tract 17** - Contains 34.06 acres and fronts on Cupps Chapel Road. This tract is mostly all woods.
- Tract 18** - Contains 39.18 acres and fronts on Cupps Chapel Road. This tract is all woods.
- Tract 19** - Contains 56.38 acres and fronts on Cupps Chapel Road. This tract is mostly all woods.
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- Tract 21** - Contains 5.49 acres and is located on Big Orchard Extension Road directly across from Tract #13. This tract consists of mostly all cropland.
- Tract 22** - Contains 4.54 acres and is located on Big Orchard Extension Road directly across from Tract #12. This tract consists of mostly all cleared cropland.
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