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Local firefighter dies in collision with train Friday

By: Doug Ponder

A train collision at the railroad crossing on Twin Tunnel Road in Orlando claimed the life of a local firefighter last Friday morning.

According to State Police records, Chris Kerns, 29, of Mt. Vernon was driving his 2008 Chevy pickup when he reportedly failed to stop at the railroad crossing and drove into the path of a CSX locomotive, which was coming out of the first railroad tunnel.

The CSX engineer was unable to stop and struck Kerns' vehicle on the passenger side pushing it across the railway bridge until eventually coming to rest at the beginning of the second railroad tunnel.

Kerns was pronounced dead at the scene by Rockcastle County Coroner Bill Dowell and no CSX personnel were injured in the accident.

The accident is still under investigation by the Kentucky State Police and trooper Sean Dixon is in charge of the investigation. Drugs and alcohol are not suspected to be a factor in the accident.

Kerns was a Berea firefighter as well as a volunteer firefighter on both the Mt. Vernon and Brodhead volunteer fire departments. David Bales, Mt. Vernon

Fire Chief, said Kerns was loved by all of his fellow firefighters at the Mt. Vernon Fire Department.

"Chris was a very experienced firefighter and an all-around great guy," Bales said. "Our fire house will never be the same without him."

Many of the fire departments in Rockcastle County and Berea, along with other groups and people in the community, have donated money and hosted various events for the Kerns family in memory of Chris.

Berea Fire and Rescue held a pancake breakfast last Saturday with all the proceeds going to the family.

Brodhead Volunteer Fire Department held their monthly fish fry last Saturday with those proceeds also going to the Kerns family.

Rockcastle County EMS hosted a meal Monday night at the Mt. Vernon Fire Department for the Kerns family and friends in honor of Chris.

Bales said that all the support for the Kerns family by the fire departments and other people in the community doesn't shock him at all.

"It just goes to show you how much he was loved by those who knew him," Bales said. "He will be greatly missed."

A complete obituary appears on page A-3.



The locker used by deceased firefighter Chris Kerns has been established as a memorial by the Mt. Vernon Fire Department.



In the photo above members of Berea Fire and Rescue are shown serving as part of the "Honor Guard" at the visitation of firefighter Chris Kerns Tuesday and Wednesday in the New Barn at the Renfro Valley Entertainment Center. In the photo below is the remains of the truck Kerns was driving after it was struck by a CSX locomotive on Two Tunnel Road at Orlando early Friday morning. Kerns was a Berea firefighter as well as a volunteer firefighter on both the Mt. Vernon and Brodhead Volunteer Fire Departments.



Factory bought, leased to Anchor

By: Perlina Anderkin

With the authority of the fiscal court, County Judge/Executive Buzz Carloftis finalized the purchase of the former Plasticware building last Thursday from Citizens Bank for \$3.4 million.

The announcement was made at Tuesday's regular meeting of the court when Carloftis also announced that the lease to Anchor Packaging, for \$200,000 per year, has also been finalized.

The county will have to subsidize the monthly payment on the loan, which is with 5/3 Bank through KACo, in the amount of \$27,750 a year. Anchor also

received \$4 million in tax incentives from the state's Economic Development Finance Authority Board. In general, when a company accepts the tax incentive, it can keep that amount of money, which it would otherwise pay in taxes, assuming it fulfills the terms of the deal.

Tuesday, Carloftis said "this is not the end of it but a wonderful beginning" and reiterated that "not a single thing could have been done if the occupational tax had not been in place."

Carloftis lauded the efforts of officials from the Department for Local Government, RCIDA Chairman

Steve Taylor, Corey Craig, and Holly Hopkins, Executive Director for RCIDA. "We accomplished this all in an unbelievable amount of time," Carloftis said.

Hopkins then gave a brief overview of the time line for Anchor Packaging to get up and running, saying the company hoped to be ready in six weeks. Hopkins said that Adult Education would be helping in the job application process and 8-9 workers would be hired immediately to get the machinery ready, 60 workers shortly thereafter and up to 150 by the first of next year. The jobs are expected to pay an average

hourly wage of \$16, including benefits.

The director also told the court that the RCIDA board, at their last meeting, had voted to recommend the court contract with Mark Hopkins, an electrical engineer, to oversee the work that will be required to get

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School Board approves 2012-2013 calendar

By: Perlina Anderkin

The Rockcastle County Board of Education approved the 2012-13 school calendar, at their regular meeting Tuesday night.

The calendar was presented by Rebecca Isaacs, Director of Student Services, who heads up the calendar committee along with the principal and a staff member from each school.

Isaacs told the board that the process this year "went very smoothly" since, at the request of the principals, the committee started with one proposal. Previously the committee had allowed proposals to be sent in from the school. However, the original proposed calendar was taken to each school by the principal and suggestions were taken from the staff which resulted in very few changes, Isaacs said.

The director said that one of the big changes this year was that there were not several professional development days scheduled at the beginning of the school year, as in the past, rather four PD days were embedded throughout the school year following student as-

essment periods. Isaacs said these days would allow the schools to make instructional changes and regroup students to meet students' needs.

Teachers will report for duty on August 7th and the first day for students will be on the 8th. The first holiday will be Labor Day, September 3rd, followed by the first professional development

on the 4th, giving students a two-day holiday.

In October, there will be a break on the 5th for EKEA District Day and in November a professional development day has been scheduled for the 5th, followed by a day off on the 6th because of the presidential election. The Thanksgiving holiday

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Brodhead discusses complaints during council meeting

By: Doug Ponder

Many items were brought up at the monthly meeting of the Brodhead Council Monday night, including some complaints received by the Mayor and other council members.

Walter Cash, Brodhead Mayor, told the council he had received a complaint from a Brodhead citizen about horse manure being in the city streets.

Carlos Cash, Brodhead

Council member, said it was only a certain few people who were riding their horses on the backstreets of Brodhead that was the main cause of manure in the streets. Cash said he had already confronted them and the horse riders told him they would clean it up.

"It's alright to ride horses on the streets if they clean the manure up, but the prob-

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School shooting survivor is speaker at UNITE celebration

The public is invited to attend a Community Celebration of "Everyday Heroes" on Thursday, April 12th (tonight) at the Rockcastle County Middle School gymnasium at 6 p.m.

According to John Hale, Chairman of the Rockcastle

UNITE Coalition, the event is being held "to thank our school system, parents, churches, elected officials and community businesses for the great work they are doing in making our county a better place to live."

UNITE Clubs from

Brodhead, Mt. Vernon and Roundstone elementary schools, the middle school and high school, will also be recognized during the event and each will give a brief performance.

Keynote speaker for the celebration will be Missy Jenkins-Smith who was 15-years-old when she was injured in a school shooting, at Heath High School in West Paducah in December of 1997, and left paralyzed from the chest down.

Jenkins-Smith has written "I Choose to be Happy - A School Shooting Survivor's Triumph Over Tragedy," and it will be available for purchase and signing following the celebration.

In a press release, Jenkins-Smith said she has never seen her disability as

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Local police round up four more meth labs

By: Doug Ponder

Rockcastle County Sheriff's Department and the Mt. Vernon Police Department were busy again this week as seven people were arrested for manufacturing methamphetamine in four separate meth lab raids.

Two people were arrested last Tuesday afternoon for manufacturing methamphetamine after the Mt. Vernon Police Depart-

ment responded to a call of a mobile meth lab with a baby in the vehicle.

Arrested at the scene were Rodney D. Meadows, 34 and Courtney R. Barnes, 22, both of Berea.

According to police records, Mt. Vernon Assistant Chief Barry Adams received a call from Rockcastle 911 that a 2002

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The Way I See it

By Doug Ponder

Last Friday morning, I was on my way to work when I heard a page go out for a train wreck at a railroad crossing at the bottom of Brush Creek Hill, which was later discovered to be at the crossing on Twin Tunnel Road.

As a firefighter, many of us seem to develop the ability to not let our emotions get in the way of doing the job we need to do such as rescuing someone from a house fire or extricating a victim from a vehicle in order to possibly save their life. Having been a firefighter for almost two years now, I have developed this ability of controlling my emotions as well.

After working fatal wrecks on the fire department and covering my first two fatal wrecks for the Signal the previous week, I thought I was already familiar with what to expect at the scene on Two Tunnel Road. As it turned out, I couldn't have been more wrong.

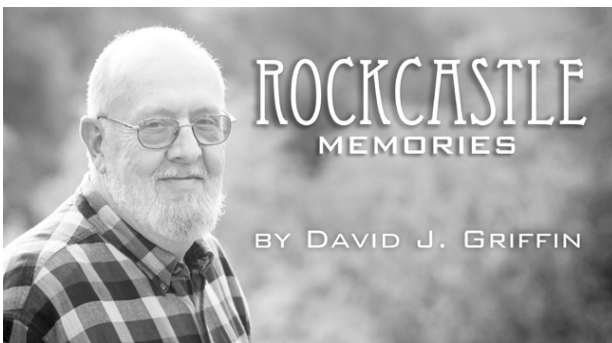
As I pulled up to the railroad crossing on Twin Tunnel Road, I got out of the vehicle with my camera in hand and proceeded to walk across the railroad bridge toward the scene of the accident to talk with the Mt. Vernon firefighters who were already there.

Once I was halfway across the bridge I noticed how this scene seemed different from other fatal accidents in that some of the firefighters seemed emotionally distraught.

I slowly began to realize this must be someone that was on one of our county fire departments and someone that we were all close to in our firefighting community. I will never forget the eerie silence as everyone was speechless and standing still. We were all standing on a railroad track in a secluded wooded area with the only noise to be heard that of water trickling off the rocks of the railroad tunnel.

Once I found out it was Chris Kerns who had died, my heart sank into my stomach.

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ROCKCASTLE MEMORIES

BY DAVID J. GRIFFIN

Kool-Aid

Someone recently suggested that I write about Kool-Aid and the role that it played during our years of growing up as a child of the '50s. The idea appealed to me, and I began to consider how often my mother and grandmother prepared large pitchers of the refreshing beverage for my family members, or for groups of my friends who came to my house to play. It is easy to recall how the glass pitcher produced beads of condensation when the ice and drink were placed together inside, just like in the television commercial.

It also brought to mind that Mommie Katie usually served Kool-Aid in her brightly colored, aluminum, tall iced tea glasses. Any one from the era knows precisely what they looked like because so many families had them. Mommie also used those glasses for her tea at Sunday family dinners. They came in assorted colors, including red, blue, gold, silver, green, and purple.

Because I lived in a house with a very large yard, it was customary for my friends to gather in my yard at night to play games until it was time for bed. The adults sat on the porch that lined two sides of the house, facing the yard so that they could watch the children at play.

We chose which games to play depending upon the number of young people present on a given night. The most common games were "kick-the-can" or just plain old hide-and-seek. When it became too dark for these games, out came the flashlights to provide illumination to find our friends in their secret hiding places.

Mommie Katie kept a vigil over the kids in the yard and always provided cold Kool-Aid when we became tired and thirsty. Everyone came running when she announced that she had cool drinks for us to enjoy. I can see us now: sitting on the edge of the porch, legs dangling, sipping on a variety of flavors, and sampling her home-made chocolate-chip cookies. All of my friends just loved visiting my home because Mommie Katie was always prepared to serve the appropriate refreshments for us. As soon as the Kool-Aid was consumed, off we went into the darkness to resume our games and fun.

Kool-Aid was invented by Edwin Perkins in Hastings, Nebraska, in 1927. He discovered a way to remove the liquid from a drink called Fruit Smack, leaving only a powder, which could easily be reconstituted by adding water to the powder. He also came up

with the idea of packaging the powder in paper envelopes so that it could be shipped easily. His original flavors were: cherry, grape, lemon-lime, raspberry, and strawberry. Each pack initially sold for 10 cents, but he reduced the price to a nickel during the Great Depression in order to make it still affordable to average families who were experiencing the financial struggle of that time.

By 1931, the demand for Kool-Aid was even stronger, and Perkins moved the entire operation to Chicago for more efficient distribution. After the war, the demand for Kool-Aid began to be so great that Perkins had to expand the factory; by 1950, there were nearly 300 production workers producing approximately one million packets of the soft drink - every day. In 1953, General Foods purchased Kool-Aid from Perkins, and the drink then became popular on a world-wide basis. The company was acquired by Kraft Foods in 1995.

My mother, Bee, and Mommie Katie kept a pitcher of Kool-Aid in the refrigerator nearly all the time, especially in the warmer months of the year. As children, we were given permission to pour a glass any time we were thirsty. I usually kept a glass in my bedroom when I played with my toys or when I was in the living room watching television. I loved the taste of all the varieties, but my favorite flavors were orange and lemon-lime.

In the early 1960s, Kool-Aid began an ad campaign that featured a sort of mascot called Kool-Aid Man. It looked like big, round pitcher, full of Kool-Aid, with a smiling face on its side. He had short legs and arms. In TV and print ads, Kool-Aid Man was known for randomly bursting through walls of children's homes and proceeding to make a batch of Kool-Aid for them. His catch phrase was "Oh, yeah!"

Looking back, it seems like Kool-Aid was everywhere back then. It was served frequently at churches, for example, whether it be for an event of some kind or just a room full of Sunday School kids. And, of course, it was a staple at Bible School. (Somehow in my memory, I recall Bible School Kool-Aid as rather tepid in temperature.)

As a generation of kids, we did, occasionally, have a Coke or a Season-Up but most often it was Kool-Aid. Although it was flavored with

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Points East

By Ike Adams



The last time I was here I sorta promised that I would stop milking the stroke, but if email, get well cards, phone calls and inquires on the street to Loretta are any indication, lots of folks genuinely concerned as to how I'm doing a month after being discharged from the hospital.

So here's an update. First of all I feel fine as frog hair. I'm grumpy, impatient, aggravated and I'd dearly love to have my left arm working right now instead of several months down the road but I am reasonably convinced that I will be able to eventually use it again.

In the meantime I don't allow anybody help me do anything until I make determined effort to do it myself. I'm typing this column pretty much with the thumb and index finger if my right hand. To make capital letters, I hit the shift lock key and then unlock it after making the stroke.

I believe that I will be able to do that with me left thumb come this time next week. I can almost do it now but, in the interest of getting something to the papers in time to print, I'm not making the effort today.

Several of you have called or written and volunteered to help out with the typing. THANK YOU!

My friend, Joe Benton, a busy attorney who lives in Richmond and practices law in Lexington, even enclosed a dollar bill in his card because his granddaughter told him that money would make me smile.

Perfect timing because it made me laugh out loud at

time when I really, really needed something to laugh about.

I've gotten to the point that I have good grip in my left hand. I can hold a soda can well enough to open it as almost anything with a twist off lid. I can even peel a banana and slice an apple using both hands even though I generally have to put stuff in my left hand with my right. I can hold a book steady enough to read it. I can now flex my shoulder, elbow and wrist without having to deeply concentrate on making the effort. I'm just not able to make my hand go where I want it too, but that is improving.

This morning I took a shower completely unassisted. We will not talk about how clean my feet and back are but at least I don't stink. I managed to get dried off and dressed without any help even though pulling on socks and a long sleeved under shirt proved challenging. I managed to shave and brush my teeth, both of which required some use of my left hand. I did, however, lose a lot of religion buttoning up my shirt.

It's difficult to tell much difference on a daily basis, but when I look at what I could do last Monday and compare it to today, the improvement is almost dramatic. When I compare it to what I could do when I got out of the hospital, it seems like a miracle and it may well be. I won't go into the rigors of physical therapy, but I do or try to do a variety of exercises 4 or 5 times a day and they are slowly

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April is PRIDE Spring Clean-Up Month

Together, we can beautify our entire region and surpass last year's outstanding turnout of Spring Clean-up Volunteers!



Free t-shirts (while supplies last), trash bags and gloves for PRIDE volunteers

Rockcastle County PRIDE Coordinator, James Renner, will provide trash pick-up and disposal, safety vests and signs for safety.

If you can help with Roadside Clean-up at any time in April, please call

James Renner at 606-256-1902; in the City of Livingston call JC Griffin at 606-453-2061; in the City of Mt. Vernon call Jill Medley at 606-256-3437.

(A schedule must be turned in to the PRIDE office by March 23rd)

If you plan to help, please call ASAP!

Exact dates and times for clean-up can be set at a later date if necessary.

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Rockcastle County has provided a community that I am thankful to call home.

I grew up in the Red Hill community and was blessed to have parental guidance from Willie B. Hammond Jr. and Bernice Abney Hammond who were also natives of Rockcastle County. My childhood was a preparation for a personal choice to be of service to the local community. My brother Lee and I attended the community's one room school where our mother was the teacher and instilled in not only us, but all of her students the need to be honest and to make choices that portrayed good character traits. My Dad demonstrated his love for our country by serving in the World War II era. He enlisted in the Army and Navy during this challenging time for our Nation. My grandparents, Burgess and Ethel Morris Abney, were country people that tried to support and help others as the need would arise. My grandparents Willie B. Hammond and Fannie Martin Hammond also lived in the community and were similar in nature and example. Pap Hammond carried the mail by horse and drove a school bus while striving to serve the immediate community. Public service was always demonstrated to me not only by my immediate family but others that lived nearby.

Today, I am seeking the office of Circuit Clerk to continue working for this community as a public servant. It is my request that you consider my offer of public service and my commitment to uphold the office with integrity. Your vote and support will continue to be appreciated.

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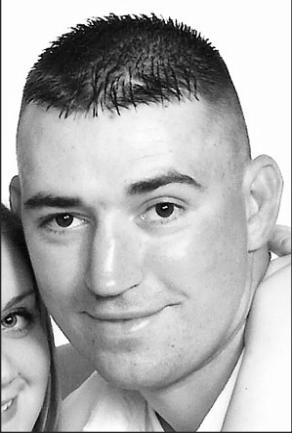
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Obituaries



Christopher R. Kerns

Christopher R. Kerns, 29, of Mt. Vernon, died Friday, April 6, 2012 on Cove Branch in Orlando. He was born in Cincinnati, OH on December 15, 1982 the son of Gary Michael and Barbara Loudermilk Kerns. He was a firefighter for the Berea Fire Department as well as the Fire Departments of Mt. Vernon and Brodhead. He was a member of the Brodhead Baptist Church.

He is survived by: his wife, Stacy Purcell Kerns; two daughters, Regina and Shelby Puckett; his mother, Barbara VanWinkle and husband, Lewis; his father, Michael Kerns and wife, Kim; four brothers, Michael (April) Kerns, Jonathan (Amanda) Kerns, Matthew Kerns, and James Kerns, all of Mt. Vernon; one sister, Heather (Christopher) Sparks of Mt. Vernon; an uncle, Johnny and Janis Loudermilk; his nieces, Catelyn Kerns and Abigail Sparks; his nephews, Jacob Kerns, Josh Kerns, Austin Kerns, Andrew Kerns, and Hunter Kerns; and cousins, Justin Loudermilk and Chasity Loudermilk Singleton.

He was preceded in death by: his grandparents, Virgil and Mary Edith Loudermilk and John and Ann Kerns; and an uncle, Virgil "Bubby" Loudermilk, Jr.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 11, 2012 at the New Barn in Renfro Valley. Burial was in Skaggs Creek Cemetery.

Pallbearers were members of the Berea Fire Department.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

The family of Christopher Kerns and Dowell & Martin wish to thank the Renfro Valley Entertainment Center for its cooperation and use of its facilities.

Visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.

Billy Michael Clark

Billy Michael Clark, 54, of Orlando, died at Rockcastle Regional Hospital on April 7, 2012.

He was born November 17, 1957 in Mt. Vernon, to Virginia Pittman and the late Maurice Edward Clark. He worked on the railroad, and attended Brush Creek Holiness Church. He loved riding motorcycles and C.B.

He is survived by: his mother, Virginia Pittman Clark; two brothers, Charles Fred Clark and Clyde Randall Clark, both of Orlando; four aunts, Beverly Price of Berea, Sandra Brumagen of Lexington, Verva Woodall of Brodhead, KY and Brenda Eads of Mt. Vernon; one uncle, Charles Pittman of Mt. Vernon; and several nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

He is preceded in death by: his father, Maurice Edward Clark; and his brother, Maurice Clark, Jr.

Funeral services were held Monday, April 9, 2012 at Brush Creek Holiness Church with Bro. Lonnie McGuire officiating. Burial was at Briarfield Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: Robert Chestnut, Paul Northern, Darrell Mason, Dusty Day, Darrell Carpenter and Clinton Hensley with Dale Hensley as backup.

Condolences may be left at marvineowensfuneralhome.com.



Dessie Robinson

Dessie Robinson, 80, of Mt. Vernon, died Friday, April 6, 2012 at the Terrace Nursing & Rehabilitation Center in Berea. She was born in Rockcastle County, on July 22, 1931 the daughter of Eddand Maude Langford Bullock. She was a homemaker and was of the Baptist Faith. She enjoyed cooking, eating out, gardening, canning, and shopping.

She is survived by: a daughter, Doris Jean (Rick) Wilson of Richmond; one brother, Anthony Bullock; two sisters, Louise Kirby and Gail Griffin; two grandsons, Phillip Todd (Jan) Wilson of Jacksonville, FL and Derek Edward (Jessica) Wilson of Lebanon, TN; three great grandsons, Cody Edward Wilson and Connor Richard Wilson, both of Jacksonville, FL, and Jakob Ryan Wilson of Lebanon, TN; and one great granddaughter, Allison Danica Wilson of Lebanon, TN.

She was preceded in death by: her husband, Earnest Edward Robinson; her twin sister, Jessie Blevins; two additional sisters, Helen Cameron and Mary T. Leger; and seven brothers, Russell, Esmer (Epp), Raymond, Othar, Shirley, Robert (Bob), and William Bullock.

Funeral services were held April 9, 2012 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Kenny Allen. Burial was in the Briarfield Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Kenny Allen, Anthony Bullock, Billy Cameron, Cody Wilson, Derek Wilson, and Todd Wilson. Honorary pallbearer was Jakob Wilson.

Visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



Frank Stallsworth

Frank Stallsworth, 57, of Mt. Vernon, died Friday, April 6, 2012 at his home. He was born on October 20, 1954 in Mt. Vernon the son of the late Eddie and Fannie Renner Stallsworth. He attended the Northside Baptist Church.

Survivors are: his wife, Marlene Hoggard Stallsworth of Mt. Vernon; two sons, Adam and Erik Stallsworth, both of Mt. Vernon; one daughter, Jerusha Mae Robinson of Mt. Vernon; two brothers, Jack, and Eddie Stallsworth, both of Mt. Vernon; three sisters, Mary Ann Gilliam of Livingston, Betty Hellard of Mt. Vernon, and Judy Mullins of Orlando; and five grandchildren, Alex, Hannah, Beatrice, Kaylee, and Ethan.

He was preceded in death by: four brothers, Doug and Jerry Stallsworth, and Jim Carr, and Wendell Renner.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, April 10, 2012 at Northside Baptist Church with Bro. Randy McPherson officiating. Burial was in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Arrangements made by Cox Funeral Home.

Send condolences online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com.



Julia Dawn Caskey

Julia Dawn "Julie" Albright Caskey, 51, of Paris, died Monday April 2, 2012 at her home.

A native of Paris, she was the daughter of Paul David and Marianne Elkins Albright, of Paris and formerly of Brodhead. She was a graduate of Bourbon County High School and was a bus monitor and a custodian for the Paris City Schools and was a part time custodian at the Central Baptist Church, Paris. She was a member of the Central Baptist Church, and went on mission trips to Mexico and Brazil to help with Vacation Bible School while the men of the Church help build houses.

In addition to her parents she is survived by: one son and daughter-in-law, Vernon Edward and Sarah Watkins of Winchester; two daughters, Rebecca Dawn Watkins (Shawn Johnson) of Mt. Sterling and Emily Leeann Scott of Paris; two granddaughters, Breanna Nicole Watkins of Winchester and Emilee Steele of Winchester; three brothers, David Benton and Lisa Albright of Paris, Daniel Fisher and Coleene Albright of Winchester and James Sanford and Angela Albright of Versailles; nieces, Jamie Ann Harvey of Florida, Alexis Nicole Albright of Versailles and Bridgette Renee Albright of Versailles; nephews, David Brandon and Helen Albright of Versailles, William Tyler Albright of Paris, Daniel Keith Albright of Winchester, Brian Fisher Albright (Emily Watkins) of Winchester; great niece, Leah Albright of Winchester; Aunts, Ruth Bailey of Paris, Martha Myers of Paris, Dawn Brock of Brodhead, Josephine Jolly of Carlisle, Mary Harper of Brodhead and Hazel Smiley of Staunton, VA; and a host of friends and extended family.

Services were held April 4, 2012 at the Central Baptist Church, 829 High St., Paris by the Rev. Dan Russell. Burial was in the Clintonville Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Tracy Watkins, James Albright, Danny Albright, John Bailey, Larry Albright and Rick Bailey. Honorary pallbearers were: David Albright, Dr. Scott Pierce, Fred Myers and the Sunday School Class, Sojourners.

Memorials may take the form of contributions to the Central Baptist Church Building Fund, 829 High St., Paris, KY 40361.

The funeral arrangements were entrusted to the Lusk-McFarland Funeral Home

The online guestbook is at www.Lusk-McFarland.com

Benefit singing and auction

There will be a benefit dinner and Auction held Saturday, April 21, beginning at 11 a.m., at the Lincoln County Produce LLC. The company is located at 2896 KY Hwy. 39N, Crab Orchard, Ky. 40419.

Lunch will be available at 11 a.m., followed by an auction of donated items at 1 p.m. A bake sale will be going on throughout the day.

Donations for the auction are still being solicited. If you would like to donate, please call 606-355-0030.

The entire proceeds of the event will go toward the UK hospital and other expenses for Susan Miller, from the extended illness and hospital stay of her late husband, Mervin, during his illness with leukemia.

Everyone is welcome.



Lenord A. Brumett

Lenord A. Brumett, 79, died Tuesday, March 27, 2012, in his home in Marion, IN. He was born in Brodhead, on July 7, 1932 to the late Bill and Pearly Mae (Brown) Brumett. He married D. Lucille Bishop on September 15, 1956, and she survives. Lenord retired from Fisher Body where he had worked as a diemaker. He was a member of the Cromwell Masonic Lodge and was a 32nd Degree Mason. He was also a member of the Scottish Rite, Order of Eastern Star, and the UAW Local 977, Fisher Body Camping Club, and was affiliated with the Oak Chapel United Methodist Church.

Survivors include: his wife, Lucille Brumett; son, Douglas (Gay) Brumett of Marion, IN; daughters, Debra P. (Raymond) Herndon of Summerfield, FL, Teresa L. (Tim) Phipps of Lady Lake, FL, and Rhonda D. (Kelly) Mahoney of Marion, IN; stepdaughter, Lathrica Parker of Marion, IN; sisters, Frances (Ralph) Davis of KY, and Bonnie (Bill) Payne of OH; 10 grandchildren; and eight great grandchildren.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by three sisters and two brothers.

Funeral services were held Saturday, March 31, 2012 at Needham-Storey-Wampner Funeral Service, Storey Chapel, 400 E. Main Street, Gas City, IN, with Pastor Al Soultz officiating. Burial was in Jefferson Cemetery, Upland, IN.

Memorial contributions

may be made to: ALS of Indiana, 6525 E. 82nd Street, Suite 115, Indianapolis, IN 46250.

Online condolences may be made at www.nswcares.com



Lillian Reynolds

Lillian Evelyn Renner Reynolds, 69, of London, died Sunday, April 1, 2012.

Born Oct. 27, 1942 in Rockcastle County, she was the daughter of the late Raymond Renner and Thelma Cottengim Renner, of Mt. Vernon. She was a retired service clerk with Walmart and a member of Calvary Holiness Tabernacle.

Survivors include: her mother; her husband, R.J. Reynolds; two sons, Dennis (Lee) Reynolds of East Bernstadt, and Anthony (Brandi) Reynolds of Manchester; two brothers, James (Edith) Renner of Forest Park, OH, and Kenneth (Lucy) Renner of Somerset; three sisters, Naomi (Monroe) Gibson of Lockland, OH, Lela (George) Sturgill of Shepherdville, and Della Hedge of Mt. Vernon; four grandchildren, Denise, Lauren, Hannah and Emileigh Reynolds; and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her passing.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 4, 2012 in the chapel of Bowling Funeral Home with Todd Hignite officiating. Burial was in the Reynolds Cemetery in East Bernstadt.

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Together, with the support of Kentucky citizens, professionals and decision-makers, we are working to ensure Kentucky's youngest citizens grow up in nurturing homes and responsive communities.

For more information, contact

Community Collaboration for Children
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or phone 606-526-6303

This project is funded, in part, under a contract with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services through Community Collaboration for Children using state funds allocated by the Kentucky General Assembly.

Our Readers Write

Redbud Health Walk a success...

Dear Editor,
The Mt. Vernon-Rockcastle County Tourist Commission would like to thank everyone who participated in the 6th annual Redbud Health Walk.

The weather was perfect as over 400 walkers took advantage of the sunshine and joined in the fun.

The event would not have been possible without our co-sponsors, TOUR SEKY, Rockcastle Regional, Christian Appalachian Project, The City of Mt. Vernon, The Kentucky Music Hall of Fame, Renfro Valley Entertainment Center and Pappy & Mammy's Place. A special thank you to sponsor coordinators, Maggie Bill, Robert Lawson, Arielle Reese, Judy Bruner, Vicki Kidd, Jones Hiatt, Mike Bryant and Jill Medley who went way beyond the call of duty to make this the best event ever.

We look forward to seeing everyone again next year.

Susan Laws

Where is the water?...

Dear Editor,
Where is the water promised residents of Green Pond Ridge. What's holding the future ERWA (Eastern Rockcastle Water Assn) water line up for this area?

Since the pipe for the new ERWA water line was

delivered to the Green Pond Ridge area in November of last year - what is the problem?

Could it be the ERWA management blew their grant money on radio read meters (over \$75,000) that we, ERWA customers, could have gotten by without? Or could it be Buzz and the crew are just too busy in the real estate business to dig water lines as he stated in a fiscal court meeting a few months back? Were those statements from Buzz just political remarks?

Who is in charge? It is time the folks on Green Pond Ridge have running water available.

Gary Mason

Night of Hope was a wonderful event...

Dear Editor,
The Rockcastle County Middle School Leadership Team would like to thank everyone who helped make the 2012 Night of Hope such a wonderful event for local cancer survivors, cancer patients, and their families.

We appreciated the musical talents of the RCMS Choir, under the direction of Ms. Cassandra Smith, as well as 6th graders Cora Machal and Carlee Cash. 8th grader Brooklyn Bishop did a wonderful job of providing hope through song, accompanied by brother, Dylan, on the guitar. WKYT anchor and cancer survivor Sam Dick brought a wonderful message of inspiration to the audience as he

spoke about his own experience with cancer. Guests also enjoyed a catered meal by Backporch Smokehouse and numerous door prizes. The evening concluded with a presentation by the Leadership Team to the Rockcastle Regional Hospital's newly established "Hope Fund," which will help cancer patients travel to receive needed treatments.

A special thanks to these folks who helped make our 5th annual cancer survivor dinner a success: Aletha's Florist, Backporch Smokehouse, Judy Maples, Rockcastle Regional Hospital, and Southern KY Area Health Education Center (AHEC).

With appreciation,
Vanessa Bullock,
Leshia Cromer,
On behalf of the RCMS Leadership Team

Project Graduation thanks supporters...

Dear Editor,
The 2012 Project Graduation Committee would like to thank the following supporters to date:

Ace Hardware - Richmond, Danetta Allen, B&H Tool, B&L Grocery, Backporch BBQ, Bee Jays Grocery, Berea Area Development, Berea Subway, Bible Baptist Church, Samantha Bishop, Bluegrass Heritage Marketing, Rockcastle Board of Education, Dr. David Brabon, Bradley's Barber Shop, Brindle Ridge Baptist, Marty Broadus, Brodhead Baptist, Brodhead Christian Church, Brodhead Dari Delight, Brodhead Farm Mart, Brodhead Farm Equipment, Brunner's Studio, Mary Burke, Cameron Stone, Catholic Health Initiatives, Central KY Surgery, Citizens Bank, Clifford Collins Construction, Climax Christian Church, Coffey & Ford, PSC, Community Trust Bank, Cox Funeral Home, Jerry Cox, Cracker Barrel - Berea, Culver's Restaurant, Bobby Cummins - KFB, Dr. Larry Daugherty, Dinner Bell, Dowell and Martin

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Our town has a great track record of helping each other and the generosity of the companies and individuals who support this event are further testimony to that fact.

If you would like to make a donation to Project Graduation you can mail this to RCHS Project Graduation 2012, PO Box 1410 Mt. Vernon, KY 40456.

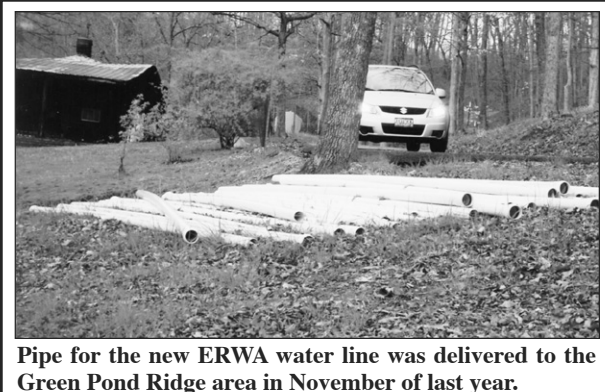
Thank You,
2012 Project Graduation Committee

"Memories"

(Cont. from A2)

real sugar, most of us did not develop obesity because we played outside and ran off the excess calories.

So thanks to Mr. Edwin Perkins of Hastings, Nebraska, for providing us with those tasty but economical drinks. They became a part and parcel of our youth. And I still love a frosty glass of the orange flavor from the Kool-Aid Man.



Pipe for the new ERWA water line was delivered to the Green Pond Ridge area in November of last year.



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Brenda McKnight

Rockcastle County

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Project Graduation Fundraisers

Several fundraisers have been scheduled several fundraisers for the month of April. These events include a Little Caesar fundraiser from April 2nd thru the 16th; a Motorcycle Support Ride, originating from the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame on April 21st and a Chili and Soup Supper w/Silent Auction at the high school cafeteria from 6 to 7:30 p.m. on April 30th. For more information on the Little Caesar fundraiser and motorcycle ride, call Sannie Lamb, Project Graduation Chair Person at 256-1749.

LVFD Trail Ride

Livingston Fire and Rescue will be hosting a trail ride on Saturday, April 21st at 11 a.m., eight miles off Red Hill Road on the right. Rain moves ride to April 28th (same time and location). There will be food and parking will be secured. Donations will be greatly appreciated. For more information call Russell Barron at 606-224-4428.

NAMI Meeting

NAMI meeting will be held April 16th from 12 to 1 in the conference room at Comp Care.

Coaster Car Derby

Brodhead Alliance Committee is planning a coaster car derby to be held Memorial Day weekend during the Dix River Festival. For more information call 606-308-1245.

PVFD B-Ball Tourney

Pongo Fire Department will be sponsoring a Basketball Tournament on April 20 and 21 at the middle school. Entry fee is \$200 per team (first 12 teams) and the deadline for entry is Friday, April 13th. For more information, call 606-308-0792, 606-308-0146 or 308-9980.

Brodhead Alliance Committee Community Clean-Up

The Brodhead Alliance Committee, in conjunction with James Renner and PRIDE, is sponsoring a Community Clean-Up Saturday, April 14th at the Brodhead Elementary School. The more volunteers, the easier the work! Mr. Renner will be providing all clean-up supplies: grabbers, garbage bags, safety vests, etc. Please wear comfortable, sturdy shoes and plan on having a little fun as we make Brodhead shine. If you are willing to help, please call Brodhead Elementary School 758-8825 and sign-up so an adequate amount of supplies will be available.

International Quilt Show

A day trip to the International Quilt Show in Cincinnati, Ohio is being planned for Friday, April 13th. There will be a quilt exhibit and huge vendors mall. Any interested in details, please call 256-9162.

Mt. Vernon City Council Meeting

Mt. Vernon City Council will hold their regular monthly meeting April 16th at 7 p.m.

Hot Rod Sign-Ups

Hot Rod Sign-ups will for T-Ball for 3, 4 and 5-year-olds will be held April 14th at Godfather's Pizza from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The fee is \$35, parents' shirts available at sign-ups for \$13. Parent's screen caps are \$6.50 and embroidered \$15. Cash only. Season runs from April 28th to July 14th.

VFW News

VFW Post 5908 is open Sunday thru Tuesday and Friday and Saturday from 5 to 7 p.m. (closed Wednesday and Thursday) 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.

DBCAA Meeting

Daniel Boone Community Action Agency, Inc. will be having a Board of Directors meeting April 24th at 5:30 p.m. in Clay County at the central office located at 1535 Shamrock Rd. in Manchester. The public is invited to attend. DBCAA is an equal housing opportunity provider.

Kiwanis Club Meetings

The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at The Renfro Valley Lodge in Renfro Valley. Everyone welcome.

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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Lonnie Lawson, far right, president and CEO of The Center for Rural Development, presented Mayor Walter Cash and Danny McKinney, representing the Brodhead Alliance Committee, with a \$10,000 Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) mini-grant to advance strategic planning efforts in the region. Helping Lawson make the presentation are Sue Moreland, far left, representing the ARC Washington DC office; Peggy Satterly, second from left, manager of the Kentucky ARC Program; and Lynn Littrell, fourth from left, executive director of the Office of the Governor, Department for Local Government. Brodhead Alliance Committee was awarded the grant funding through The Center's Developing and Implementing Community Strategies Program at the ARC Summit held March 30 at The Center in Somerset.

"I See It"

(Cont. from A2)

ach as this was the first fatal accident I have covered where I personally knew the victim. As I stood there and closed my eyes, my mind then instantly started racing back to the memories I had of the first time I met Chris at the 2010 Brodhead Fire Department Christmas dinner. It felt like I had known him my whole life, as if we had grown up together as childhood friends. Although Chris had a shy nature about him, he still loved to talk to those close to him while always wearing that signature "grin" he was known for. I often hear a lot of people talk about things that remind them of loved ones that have passed on. For Chris it will always be his grin I will never forget. I don't believe these reminders to be a coincidence. Call me crazy, but instead I believe it is a way of reminding us that he is still with us, not physically but spiritually. Talking with Chris's family and fellow firefighters this week, I know there will always be certain things that

come into their lives that I personally believe will be a spiritual way of reminding everyone that he is still with us in our memories and heart. Whether it be a fellow firefighter responding to a run by putting on fire gear and heading out or a family member doing the outdoor activities Chris always loved doing with his family. Remember that these thoughts of Chris flooding our minds while we do these things, is really not a coincidence at all but instead it is just simply a way of reminding us that he is still here with us in our hearts.

"Points East"

(Cont. from A2)

becoming much easier. My ultimate goal is to become to type again even though a couple of editors have told me that the stroke has made their jobs much easier because they don't have to correct a typo or misspelling on every line these days. It does bother my conscience that they are not really earning their pay when it comes to publishing my column. Just wait until the left hand does come back and I can fly through this thing again!

Organ Donations

Family and Consumer Sciences

Hazel Jackson

Rockcastle County Extension Office



April is National Donate Life Month. Although 90 percent of Americans say they support organ donation, only 30 percent know how to become a donor. As of January 2012, there were over 112,000 patients waiting for either an organ or tissue transplant. There have been great advances in medical technology and organ and tissue donation, however the need for organs and tissues still greatly outnumbers the donors. Have you considered donating your organs but been hesitant to do so? Here is

some additional information on adding your name to the donation list and some answers to common questions regarding organ donation. Organs that can be donated: •Heart •Kidneys •Liver Tissues that can be donated: •Whole eye / Corneas •Heart valves •Skin •Bone •Certain veins Anyone thinking about organ or tissue donation should talk with their family about their wishes. They may wish to talk to their religious leaders as well. If

they still feel as though they are able to donate organs or tissues, they should simply visit donatelife.org and complete the online registry form. If after they have registered to be a donor, they change their mind about the decision, they can log onto the same website and change the intention to donate.

In Kentucky, donors may also sign the back of their driver's license. This helps to alert health care employ-

ees of choice to donate. Donating your organs or tissues can save another person's life. Take the time to decide whether organ donation is the right choice for you. For a complete newsletter regarding organ donation, contact the Extension office at 256-2403.

Hospitality training is Saturday

The Mt. Vernon - Rockcastle County Tourist Commission would like to invite you and your staff to attend a FREE hospitality training session on April 17th from 2 - 4 p.m. at the Renfro Valley Entertainment Center. This training open to all businesses in Rockcastle County.

Pre-Registration is required by Friday, April 13th either by phone (606-256-9814) or email (info@snapp.net). There will be free refreshments and door prizes available to attendees. If your customers are your number one priority, be sure to attend this FREE training session to learn more about service, attitude, consistency and teamwork.

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Auctioneers Note: If you are in the market for heavy equipment or need some tools, make sure you attend this absolute auction.

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Singing

Ottawa Baptist Church will hold a singing Sunday, April 15th at 7 p.m., featuring The Roarks. Everyone is invited.

Revival

Revival services will be held April 15-18 at Fairview Baptist Church with Bro. Jon Burdette speaker.

Revival will begin with Sunday morning service, April 15th, at 11 a.m. and the evening services, with a time of informal singing, will be at 6:45 p.m.

Pastor Vaughn Rasor and congregation welcomes all. Call 606-256-3722 or email fairviewbapt@aol.com for more information.

Philadelphia United Baptist Church Events

Schedule of upcoming events for Philadelphia United Baptist Church:

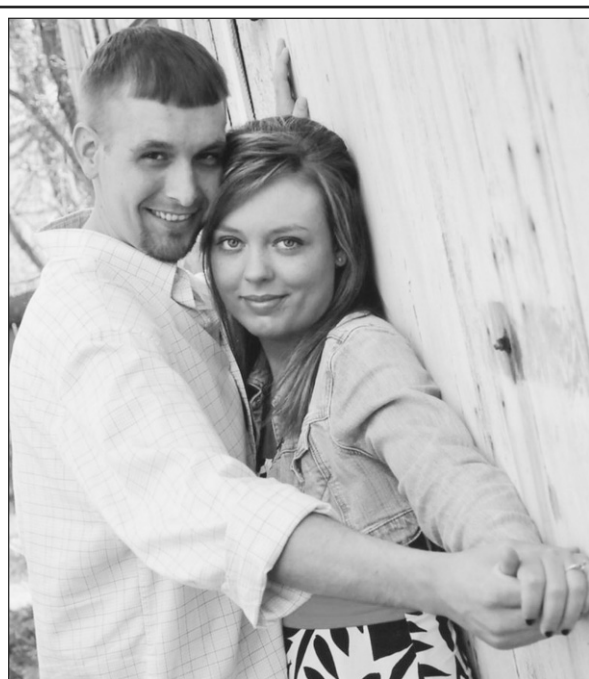
Apr. 22nd: Praise Singers at 6 p.m.

Youth meeting every Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Yard Sale: Donations can be dropped off at the church Sunday or Wednesday. The first yard sale will be May 4 and 5 at Hwy. 39/150 in Crab Orchard

The church is located at 834 Bryart Ridge Rd., Brodhead. Pastor is Gordon Mink.

Call 606-308-5368 for more information.



Bullock - Fetters

April Gail Bullock and Joshua Lee Fetters would like to announce their forthcoming marriage on Saturday, April 28th at 4:00 p.m. The wedding will take place at First Christian Church in Mt. Vernon. A reception will follow immediately after the ceremony. All family and friends are invited to attend.

Ride with a Mission Saturday, April 14th

The Richmond House of Prayer will be holding "Riding With A Mission" on Saturday, April 14, 2012, beginning at the church, 330 Mule Shed Lane, Richmond.

Sign-ups start at 10:30 a.m. and kick stands up at noon. The event will be an 80-100 mile rural ride. Entry fee is \$20 (\$25 w/passenger). All donations are tax deductible and all proceeds will benefit LWM International Missions.

The first 20 early registrants receive a free t-shirt. Early registration ends April 1st. There will be door prizes and a cook-out at ride's end.

For more information, contact Scottie Cotton at 606-308-4321 or go to www.lwminternational.com

Cemetery Notices

Sowder Cemetery

Please send donations for the upkeep and mowing of Sowder Cemetery to: Bob Bradley, 12155 Hwy. 39, Somerset, Ky. 42503.

Old Freedom/

Roberts Cemetery

There is no longer a caretaker for Old Freedom/Roberts Cemetery. Anyone wishing to volunteer to take the job should do so.

Briarfield Cemetery

Memorial Day will be held Sunday, May 27th. A potluck dinner will be served at 1:30 p.m.

Donations for upkeep should be sent to Roger Ely, 2148 Big Cave Road, Orlando, Ky. 40460 or Ronnie Spoonamore, P.O. Box 1572, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456.

The cemetery is also in need of the donation of a good lawn mower. Call 256-5283 or 256-5037.

Rimell Cemetery

Donations for the continued upkeep of the Rimell Cemetery would be greatly appreciated. You may contact Judy Rimell Carl, caretaker, at 66-308-3596 or mail donations to: Judy Carl, 2150 Hwy. 934, Somerset, Ky. 42503.

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Daughter,
You are not forgotten,
Though on earth you are no more.

Still in memory you are with us,

As you always were before. Though we thought you were a gift,

We were wrong, God just loaned you to us for a while,

To gladden our home with laughter, your love and Sweet, sweet smile.

Thanking God for the Memories,
Mom, Norma Romines

Roberts Cemetery

Seeking donations for help with the upkeep of Roberts Cemetery on Freedom School Rd. in Rockcastle County. Contact Don Cummins at 245-1898 or Nancy Meadows at 256-3165.

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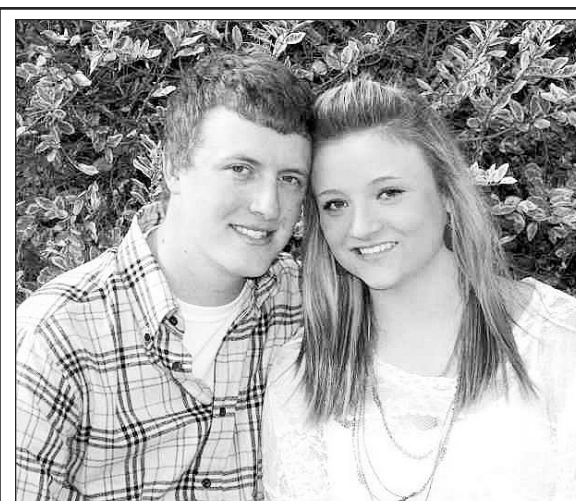
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French - Cable

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Daniel Boone Community Action Agency has applied for the Community Services Black Grant (CSBG) from the Cabinet for Families and Children. The plan is available for public review at the local Community Action Agency.



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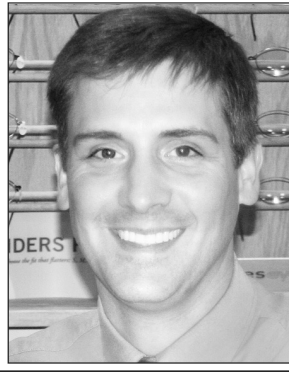
Signature Healthcare at Rockcastle Rehab of Brodhead recently held a resident-led food drive to benefit East Bernstadt tornado victims. They collected and delivered eight large boxes of non-perishable food items to New Salem Baptist Church in East Bernstadt to Pastor Gregory Deaton. Shown above with some of the food are residents Janet Brock, Kenneth Leach and Laverne Long. In the bottom photo is pastor Deaton with Leach.



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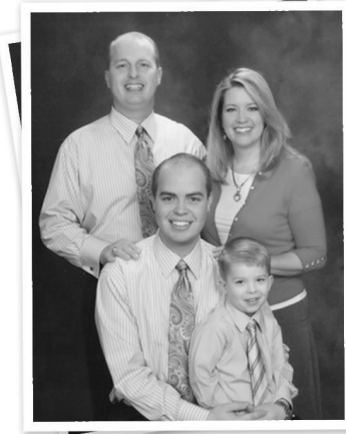
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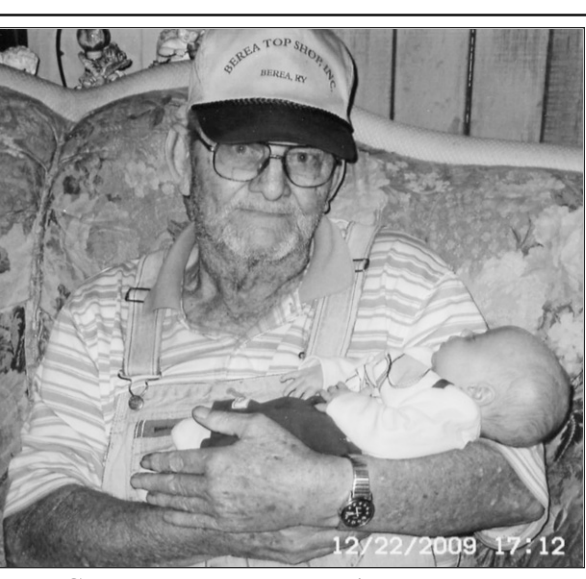
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Bert Gabbard, shown here with great grandson Zander, celebrated his 80th birthday Sunday, April 8th. We love you very much and wish you many more. Your boys - Ronnie, Eddie and Kenny, grandkids and great grandkids.



Earl Pennington Adams celebrated his 80th birthday April 8, 2012. Myrtle Elizabeth Adams will celebrate her 76th birthday on April 16, 2012. The birthdays were celebrated with family on Easter Sunday. Earl and Myrtle have two children, six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. We love and appreciate you. Happy Birthday. Love - Your Family.



“Brodhead”

(Cont. from front)

lem is that they don't." Cash said. The council agreed to warn the horse riders one more time and see if the problem is resolved by the next council meeting before taking any action.

Mayor Cash also told the council that he was receiving complaints about people "throwing wild parties and staying up all night."

Brian Bussell, Director of Emergency Management of Brodhead, reminded the council that Brodhead has a "noise" ordinance and that it needed to be enforced.

"Somebody might want to sleep even if they don't want to," Bussell said.

The rest of the council agreed to start enforcing the noise ordinance in Brodhead.

Cash told the committee about complaints he was receiving from people wondering why property owners in the city limits can't keep their property cleaned up.

Bussell reminded the council about Brodhead's property nuisance ordinance and said that if they chose to enforce it, the ordinance would have to apply to everyone and should be followed correctly.

Cash agreed with Bussell and also believed the ordinance should be enforced as well.

"You can't just have one cleaned up," Cash said. "If you clean one you have to clean them all."

Bussell even pointed out the window at the tree in front of City Hall and said it would even violate the ordinance.

"Even the tree in front of

City Hall is in violation because the limbs are within so many feet of the sidewalk," Bussell said.

The property that received the most complaints is a house on the corner of Silver and School Street near Brodhead Elementary School.

"It's not only an eyesore, it's a health hazard as well," Bussell said. "You can see rats running around at that place all the time."

Bussell said he has talked to local attorney John Ford about the property and Ford said the property still has seventeen liens against it.

"I can't believe seventeen different lending agencies would loan against that house," Bussell said. "But then again that's why our country is in the shape it's in right now anyway."

Mayor Cash said it would cost more to tear it down than it would to just simply try to clean it up.

The council agreed to enforcing the ordinance and trying to clean up offending properties in the city limits.

Larry Taylor, Brodhead Fire Chief, mentioned the problems the Brodhead Fire Department is having with the city's Brodhead fire engine #12.

According to Taylor, one of the fuel filters keeps getting clogged up. Taylor said he had Gene Caldwell at Thoroughbred Truck and Repair to clean it at the beginning of the year and its clogged back up again twice in one month.

"Engine 12 would only go 35 mph to the car fire on the Interstate Easter Sunday," Taylor said. "When the filter clogs up, it starves the engine for fuel."

Taylor said he didn't know how much it would

cost to replace the filters at this time but he said he didn't it would be too costly. Taylor said they are going to have it looked at once they come off standby with the Mt. Vernon Fire Department.

The council approved new filters for Engine 12 once an estimate is received.

Taylor also wanted to know the status of the new fire hydrant being place at Brodhead Elementary School.

Mayor Cash said Roger Bray, water/sewer superintendent, was going to fix it but had to take emergency sick leave after the doctors ordered him to take off for the rest of the week. No schedule was set up by the council for the hydrant's completion.

Bussell also brought up the issue of the current procurement policy Brodhead has in place. Bussell said the current procurement policy requires at least three quotes, be published in the local paper twice and has to be under \$20,000.

Bussell proposed to change the current policy to where no specific number of quotes is required and only having to run it in the local paper once.

"The problem we have now is no one wants to fool with a small \$2,500 item," Bussell said.

The council voted and

agreed to change its procurement policy to where quotes are solicited and are only required to run it one time in the local newspaper.

Taylor requested that the city donate \$1,000 to the Brodhead Homecoming Committee for help with funding the 2012 Brodhead Homecoming.

Taylor said the city has donated that same amount to the Homecoming Committee the previous three years.

At first, the proposal was met with some resistance from others at the council meeting to which Bussell replied, "If the city of Brodhead can't help with their own homecoming than we are in bad shape."

Bussell also said the homecoming will consist of the same carnival and that the homecoming committee will be selling food and drinks as well. Bussell was also excited about the music line-up for this year.

"We're getting more musical entertainment from different genres this year with a lot of the musicians being local," Bussell said.

The council agreed to donate the amount of \$1,000 to the Brodhead Homecoming Committee.

The 2012 Brodhead Homecoming is scheduled to start on Thursday May 24th and end on Saturday May 26th.

Concerned Citizens for Fair Government

will meet Thursday, April 19th at 6 p.m. in the third floor conference room of the courthouse.

Absolute Auction

Of The Mr. & Mrs. Wilford Purcell's House, Barns & 19.42 Acres In Tracts and Equipment

Saturday, April 14th at 10:30 a.m.
571 Dahl Elrod Road - Somerset



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Mr. Purcell is trying to slow down his farming operation and therefore offered our firm to sell his property at absolute auction.

Tract #1 measures .95 acres and is improved with the pictured frame house with living room, kitchen, three bedrooms, and a full bath. It also has a partial basement, metal roof, central heat and air, and a carport. There are several nice shade trees on this tract.

Tract #2 consists of 5.83 acres and has been used for the production of corn, tobacco, etc. It is improved with a barn and is accessed by an easement.

Tract #3 is the largest of the tracts and contains 9.50 acres and has over 1,100 feet of road frontage. This tract would be an excellent site for running cattle as it has cattle handling facility and a creek for stock water. As mentioned, this tract has a 50'x60' cattle handling facility and a combination barn. This is a great place to build a cabin.

Tract #4 has 3.14 acres and is improved with a 96'x44' metal barn. This barn is great for hay or tobacco storage.

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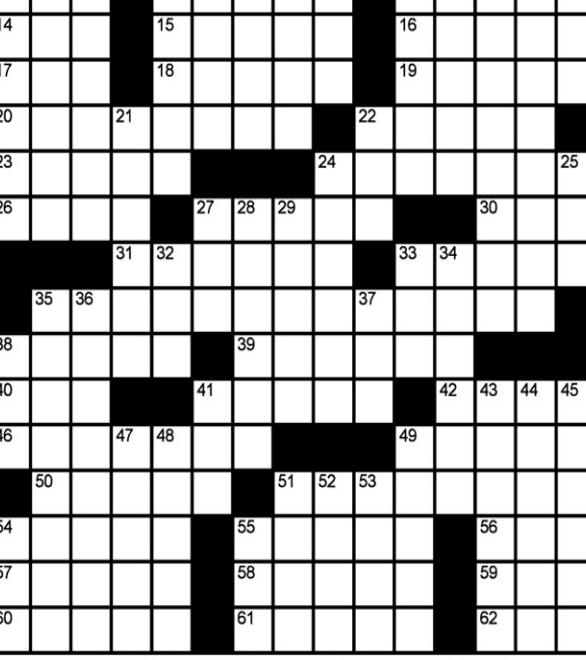
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| ACROSS | Live" | e.g. |
| 1. Boxscore Cowboys | 57. Exhibiting wisdom | 32. Bad result for a QB |
| 4. Sticking point? | 58. Kentuckian, poet | 33. French key |
| 9. Tall-growing | Theodore | 34. Takes repose |
| 14. Japanese sash | 59. Monsoonal | 35. Only Kentucky |
| 15. Hostelry | 60. Clarification lead-in | Know-Nothing party |
| 16. In the know | 61. Senior member | governor |
| 17. Source of iron | 62. Sailor's affirmative | 36. Exceed, esp. in a shooting match |
| 18. One way to read | DOWN | 37. Pi follower |
| 19. Not on deck | 1. Thingamajig | 38. Little bit |
| 20. Kentucky's pre-statehood capital | 2. Rub down | 41. "Please call me" in text message |
| 22. Answering call | 3. Relating to the spleen | 43. Canadian capital |
| 23. Home KY county of Fairplay and Speck | 4. Kentuckian, chief defense counsel in Dred Scott | 44. Kentuckian, major leaguer "Bullet Jack" |
| 24. Cosmetic light | 5. Restaurant freebie | 45. McConnell and Paul's group |
| 26. Big name in computers | 6. TV's "American " | 47. Tricks |
| 27. Author of "A Kentucky Cardinal" | 7. Chills and fever | 48. Heads-up |
| 30. Overturn | 8. Powell Co.'s river | 49. One of seven counties formed in state's first legislative session |
| 31. Direct | 9. Hungarian choreographer | 51. Mammoth Cave's largest river |
| 33. Static | 10. Kentuckian, actor in "The Great Gatsby" | 52. Sturdy cart |
| 35. Montgomery Co. home of Court Days | 11. Kentucky's smallest county (land area) | 53. Foal's mother |
| 38. Tilt | 12. Preparation | 54. TV crime drama |
| 39. Chinese fruit | 13. Churchyard tree in "Romeo and Juliet" | 55. Ground cover |
| 40. Food scrap | 21. Plant hair | |
| 41. It's spotted in westerns | 22. Barbarous one | |
| 42. Sponges | 24. Ohio Co. hamlet, or prime | |
| 46. Place to eat alfresco? | 25. Fluid density measure: Abbr. | |
| 49. Like a gymnast | 27. Symbol of industry | |
| 50. Thatching material | 28. Home county of the Osborne Brothers | |
| 51. Metcalfe Co.'s seat | 29. "E pluribus unum," | |
| 54. Perfume | | |
| 55. Scrawny one | | |
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The Rockets baseball team defeated Jackson County Tuesday night 10-0 in six innings. Jon Paul Kidwell, shown above, was the winning pitcher.



Tyler Smith was the other half of the Rocket battery Tuesday night in their 10-0 victory over Jackson County. The Rockets are now 8 and 3 on the season. Tuesday night's victory was their sixth in a row.

Daniel Boone Community Action Agency has applied for the Community Services Black Grant (CSBG) from the Cabinet for Families and Children. The plan is available for public review at the local Community Action Agency.

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2012 Fairview Baptist's "A Run for Russia" Registration Form

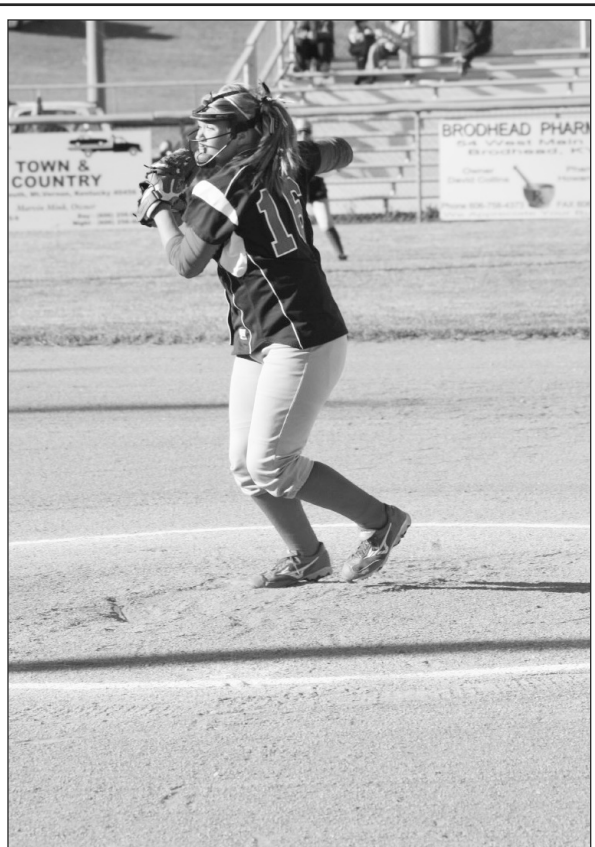
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Hailey Harper was the winning pitcher for the Lady Rockets softball team Tuesday night against Casey. The Lady Rockets won 13-3 in five innings. Monday night, the Lady Rockets defeated Southwestern 6 to 4 in eight innings. Sam Payne hit a three-run homer in the top of the 8th to help in the win for the Lady Rockets. Kaitlyn Blair was the winning pitcher for the Lady Rockets.



Eldon Simpson, 12, killed this turkey, weighing 24 pounds, with a 9 inch beard, on Saturday, April 7th during the youth hunt at Copper Creek in Rockcastle County. Eldon is the son of Dewayne and Tracy Simpson of Copper Creek. Congrats Eldon!

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Sean Cash, 8, killed his first turkey, Saturday, April 7th during the youth hunt. The turkey had a 9 1/2 inch beard. He wants to thank his Uncle Curtis for helping him.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 17TH
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EVALUATION AND SIGN-UPS

Children entering Kindergarten through 8th Grade Boys/Girls this Fall 2012.

Saturday, May 5th, between 10:00 am and 12:00 pm
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Thursday, May 31st, between 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm

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“Calendar”

(Cont. from front)

will be taken Nov. 21-23. Christmas Break has been designated as Dec. 21-Jan. 1. In January, there will be a day off on the 21st for Martin Luther King Day and for students on the 22nd when the third professional development day will be held.

President’s Day, on February 18th, has been scheduled as a make-up day but will be taken as a holiday if less than 10 days have been missed for inclement weather or other emergencies by the first Monday in February.

In March, there is only one day scheduled for a break, the 15th for CKEA.

Students will get a break on April 8th for the fourth and last professional development day but, if 10 days or less are missed by the last Monday in February, the week of April 1-5 will be taken for a Spring Break, contingent on approval of the board.

May 10th will be the last day for students, with the 13th scheduled as the official closing. However, May 14th through June 4th was written into the calendar as make-up days, if needed, with May 27th a holiday because of Memorial Day.

Isaacs said that because the schools missed 16 days year before last, the state requires that many days to be written into the calendar for a five year period as make-up days.

Board member Angela Stallsworth-Mink told Isaacs that she was often asked how other districts, who started the same time or later, were able to take a fall and spring break and get out only a few days later than we do.

Isaacs said the committee used guidelines for the calendar furnished by the state but that there were “loopholes” some districts take advantage of. For example, districts get automatic approval for 170 days of instruction or 1062 hours but the state gives waivers for variations on this guideline, including longer hours each day in order to teach less days.

After approval of school activity fund raisers and trips and an exclusive right to sell contract with Ford Brothers for a lot given the board in Houston Point Sub-division, the board approved the Medicaid Quality Assurance Procedures.

Instructional Supervisor David Pensol told the board that the procedures manual had been streamlined and approved by the state and that Medicaid reimbursement had been “quadrupled in the last year by focusing on billing procedures.”

The board then, once again, took up their use of tobacco policy which has been on the agenda for several months.

Board Chairman Martin Vanzant has long been a proponent of a campus wide no tobacco use policy but several board members have resisted, instead championing letting employees smoke in areas designated by principals.

Tuesday night, Supt. Larry Hammond proposed a policy that would set a time line to allow employees to take advantage of smoking cessation classes in preparation for a tobacco-free campus by July 1, 2013.

However, board member Mike Burdette said “we have gone over and over this and we are still talking about taking a privilege away from adults. Smokers are already isolated from students, it has no bearing on students.”

Board member Anna Goff said that she felt the ban should include sporting events, except in designated areas, which the present policy does not actually cover, according to Vanzant, who told the board that he had a hard time looking people in the eye and telling them “why we don’t do what in the best interests of our students.”

“I just want to know if we are covered inside and out,” Goff said, “I want it cut and dried (the policy), no twisting to it.” Mink agreed, saying every policy can be “twisted but I agree with Mike (Burdette) we should vote and get it over with.”

At the suggestion of Pensol, a phrase saying that there will no smoking on school grounds except in areas designated by the principal (at all venues) will be added to the policy and its passage considered at the June meeting.

The board also discussed realigning positions at the central office, changing the transportation director’s position to certified instead of classified, and bringing all extra pay supplements in line for the different supervisors.

Pensol said that job descriptions would be changed to reflect that each supervisor would work in whatever area was needed. The superintendent-elect noted that he felt his position and that of transportation director should be posted sometime after the May board meeting for hiring in June.

Hammond said there were currently five positions at central office a “bare bones” staff but central office staff has to be fluid, Hammond said because changes have to be made at times.

There is presently, besides the superintendent, a finance officer (classified position), Instructional Supervisor/Special Ed Supervisor, Director of Student Services/Director of Pupil Personnel, Transportation Director/Facilities Manager (presently classified position) and School Health Coordinator/Food Service Director.

Pensol said that he would like to try the new system for at least a year and come back to the board to discuss operations at central office after that period.

The board will hold a special meeting April 26th for a review with Finance Officer Melanie Lyons of the upcoming budget and staffing allocations.

“Meth”

(Cont. from front)

maroon Ford Taurus was carrying a suspected mobile meth lab and would be coming through Mt. Vernon on Hwy 25 toward Livingston. The caller also told authorities that a baby was inside the vehicle.

Adams located the Ford Taurus sitting in the road on McHargue Branch Road in Mt. Vernon. Meadows pulled the Taurus to the shoulder and then attempted to flee on foot. Adams pursued and arrested him after having to subdue him with a Tazer gun.

Officers then noticed a strong chemical odor coming from the engine compartment of the car and upon raising the hood found a one-step meth lab inside two plastic bags under the vents below the windshield wipers.

According to the report, Adams spoke with the mother of Meadows who told him that just prior to the arrival of law enforcement officers, she got the three-year-old daughter of Meadows and Barnes out of the car where the meth lab was located.

The three-year-old was decontaminated by the Mt. Vernon Fire Department and transported to the Rockcastle Regional Hospital for a medical examination where she was later released and placed in foster care.

Meadows and Barnes were charged with manufacturing methamphetamine, conspiracy to manufacture methamphetamine and controlled substance endangerment to a child.

Meadows was also separately charged with fleeing and evading police.

Both remain lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center on a \$25,000 cash/property bond.

Three people were arrested last Wednesday afternoon for manufacturing methamphetamine after officers from the Rockcastle County Sheriff’s Department and Mt. Vernon Police Department raided a home on KY Hwy 3425 in Brodhead.

Those arrested were Cassey Crank, 19, Michael Crank, 19 and Jonathon Chasteen, 18 all of Brodhead.

According to the Rockcastle County Sheriff’s Department, Deputy Sheriff Matt Bryant received information from Mt. Vernon Asst. Police Chief Barry Adams that he had used “MethCheck” to discover Cassey and Michael Crank had purchased a large quantity of pseudoephedrine at a pharmacy in Berea and Wal-Mart in Stanford earlier in the day.

Once officers arrived at the residence, Michael Crank attempted to flee on foot out the back of the home.

Adams then proceeded to pursue Crank and was unable to apprehend him at the time.

In a large outbuilding behind the residence, officers found the pseudoephedrine purchased earlier in the day.

Officers also found a piece of a burned bottle which was consistent with a one-step meth lab outside the large outbuilding.

Cassey Crank and Jonathon Chasteen were both arrested for manufacturing methamphetamine and conspiracy of manufacturing methamphetamine.

While at the residence, Adams received information that Michael Crank fled on foot to a residence on Philadelphia Church road, near the Crank residence.

Once officers arrived, they observed Michael Crank run through the residence toward the back door in an attempt to flee.

Crank reportedly admitted to burning the one-step meth lab behind the large out-building before officers arrived.

Michael Crank was charged with manufacturing methamphetamine and conspiracy to manufacture methamphetamine.

Crank remains lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center on a \$25,000 cash/property bond.

A Mt. Vernon woman was arrested last Thursday night for manufacturing methamphetamine after officers from the Rockcastle County Sheriff’s Department and Mt. Vernon Police Department raided a home on Copper Creek Road in Crab Orchard.

Arrested at the scene was Victoria A. Howard, 18, of Mt. Vernon.

According to the Rockcastle County Sheriff’s Department, Bryant received information from Adams that he had used “MethCheck” to discover Howard had purchased a large quantity of pseudoephedrine at a pharmacy in Berea earlier in the day.

After arriving at the residence, officers noticed Howard inside the passenger seat of a Dodge pickup. A receipt was also found in the vehicle from the pseudoephedrine purchased in Berea earlier in the day.

Officers found marijuana and rolling papers on Howard at the time of her arrest.

Inside a wooden outbuilding, behind the residence, officers found an active one-step meth lab in a plastic Gatorade bottle and a HCL gas generator in a plastic Diet-Coke bottle.

Officers also found a plastic bag inside a glass jar containing methamphetamine oil.

Howard was arrested for manufacturing methamphetamine and conspiracy to manufacture methamphetamine.

Howard remains lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center on a \$25,000 cash/property bond.

Also arrested was Dana Reynolds, 28, of Crab Orchard, who came to the

scene while the raid was in progress and gave consent for her vehicle to be searched. During that search, pseudoephedrine tablets, a homemade tourniquet and a hypodermic needle were found. She was charged with unlawful possession of a methamphetamine precursor, first offense.

She is also lodged in the Rockcastle Detention Center under a \$5,000 cash/property bond.

A Berea man was arrested on Sunday night for manufacturing methamphetamine after officers from the Rockcastle County Sheriff’s Department raided a home in the Hammonds’ Trailer Park in Mt. Vernon.

Arrested at the scene was William N. Wilson, 33, of Berea.

According to the Rockcastle County Sheriff’s Department, Deputy Sheriff Joe Rush responded to a complaint that someone was cooking meth at trailer number 10 in Hammonds’ Trailer Park.

Once Rush arrived they saw Wilson running through the trailer and out the back door where they were able to detain him.

Inside the residence, Rush found two one-step meth labs inside a Hawaiian Punch bottle and a Mason jar. Rush also found an HCL gas generator in a Mountain Dew bottle with tubing coming out of it.

Wilson was arrested for manufacturing methamphetamine and remains lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center on a \$25,000 cash/property bond.

“Anchor”

(Cont. from front)

the building ready for Anchor. The court later approved the contract with Hopkins for \$25,000 for 60 days and also approved a budget of \$50,000 for materials and extra help needed in the clean-up effort.

The county will use an estimated \$100,000 from a CDBG grant, that has been allocated but not requested, and \$300,000 left from a previously allocated state transportation grant to help fund the clean-up project. Besides purchase of the building, and the subsequent clean-up costs, the county will have to pay \$782,000 to completely replace the roof and the property insurance of an estimated \$20,000.

The court also approved up to \$200,000 for the construction of two new fire department buildings, one for Livingston Fire Department and the other for the newly-organized Climax Fire Dept.

Carloftis told the court that the Climax Fire Dept. thinks they have located a one acre site for the new building at a cost of \$5,000. However, the site has to be approved by Hal Hunt, CSEPP Director.

Bids will be advertised for construction of the two buildings.

The building at Livingston will be on the site of the present fire department. The court also declared the present building surplus property so that it can be advertised for sale and removal.

Until they can get in the new building, the Livingston Fire Department will operate from the old brick fire house.

John Dyehouse, assistant Fire Chief for the Brodhead Fire Department was again before the court asking for \$26,000 which will complete a tanker truck the department is in the process of rebuilding.

Dyehouse expressed some dissatisfaction with the court’s attention to the matter, saying that while he appreciated that the court was facing constraints on expenditures because of the Anchor Packing building expenses, they “should have been up front with him” when he was coming before the court on this matter before. “I think I have been kind of shunned.”

Dyehouse told the court.

The asst. chief said that the department had constraints of its own since some of the \$26,000 they have, most from coal severance funds, had to be used by June 31st or they would be lost.

It was finally decided that work on the truck would take about 1 1/2 months and the court should have funds available, at least by July 1st, and the expenditure was approved.

As one of the last items of business, the court approved the transfer of \$50,000 from the general fund to the jail fund.

“UNITE”

(Cont. from front)

an end. Just hours after the tragedy, she forgave Michael Carneal, the

shooter, a freshman at Heath High, and took back her life. In the next decade, she graduated from college, became a counselor for troubled youth, got married, had a baby and confronted Carneal face-to-face about his actions that tragic day.

She went on to earn countless local and national honors, from “Kentuckian of the Year” to one of *Ladies’ Home Journal’s* “Most Fascinating Women.” This is a story of love, forgiveness, courage and determination -- one that will leave people of all ages inspired to make the most of each day and never take life for granted.

Along with Missy Jenkins-Smith, the men’s choir from Chad’s Hope Treatment Center will share their testimony of recovery with special music.

EVERYDAY HEROES

Rockcastle UNITE Coalition's
Community Awareness and
UNITE Club Celebration



Thursday, April 12th
6:00 p.m.
Rockcastle County Middle School

Keynote Speaker:
Missy Jenkins Smith
Survivor of 1997 Heath High School Shooting

Performances by
School UNITE Clubs

Desserts will be provided.

RSVP to Nancy Hale at RCHS (256-4816)
or email nancy.hale@rockcastle.kyschools.us.

Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II
Civil Action No. 11-CI-00288

Kentucky Housing Corporation **Plaintiff**

V.

Lisa Trent F/K/A Lisa A. Artley F/K/A
Lisa A. Brown, et al **Defendants**

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on March 9, 2012 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of TWENTY SEVEN THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY FOUR DOLLARS (\$27,834.94) 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, April 20, 2012
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Route 4, Box 515, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

Beginning at a pin set in the south right of way of the McGuire Road No. 2, also a corner of Terry Cromer; thence with the south right of way of the McGuire Road No. 2 S 82 degrees 00' E, 99.81 feet to a pin, new corner of Raymond McGuire; thence with Raymond McGuire property line S 07 degrees 14' 06" East, 82.66 feet to a pin; thence with Raymond McGuire property line S 79 degrees 53' 47" W 111.18 feet to a metal post, a corner to Terry Cromer; thence with Terry Cromer property line N 00 degrees 06' 10" E, 115.40 feet to the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Lisa A. Brown (formerly Lisa A. Artley) by deed dated December 12, 2001, of record in Deed Book 187, page 623 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

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

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. Unpaid taxes of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
4. The purchaser shall pay the 2012 local, county and state property taxes.
5. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff’s judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
6. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
7. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff’s judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
8. 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



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Second Section

Thursday, April 12, 2012



Mt. Vernon Mayor Mike Bryant and Shelby Pettey, Miss Redbud Trails 2012, along with Mt. Vernon City employees are shown at the 6th Annual "Blooming with Good Health" Awareness Walk. The free event was held April 2nd at The Kentucky Music Hall of Fame in Renfro Valley.

Over 400 turnout for Redbud Health Walk

More than 400 people participated in the 6th Annual "Blooming with Good Health" Awareness Walk. The free event was held April 2nd at The Kentucky Music Hall of Fame in Renfro Valley. TOUR Southern and Eastern Kentucky (TOUR SEKY), Mt. Vernon-Rockcastle Tourism, The City of Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Regional, Kentucky Music Hall of Fame, Renfro Valley Entertainment Center and the Christian Appalachian Project worked together to sponsor the event.

Mt. Vernon Mayor Mike Bryant and several city employees helped kick off the walk with 2012 Miss Redbud Trails Shelby Pettey. Shelby is a senior at Russell County High School. Ashley Johnson, 2012 Miss Redbud Trails Princess also participated in the walk. Johnson is a sophomore at Pulaski County High School.

Participants walked along a predetermined path where they received health tips along the way. The walkers also received free redbud seedlings, tote bags filled with gifts from walk sponsors, free health checks and a healthy lunch from the Mt. Vernon Subway. Performers from Renfro Valley Entertainment Center provided entertainment for the crowd.

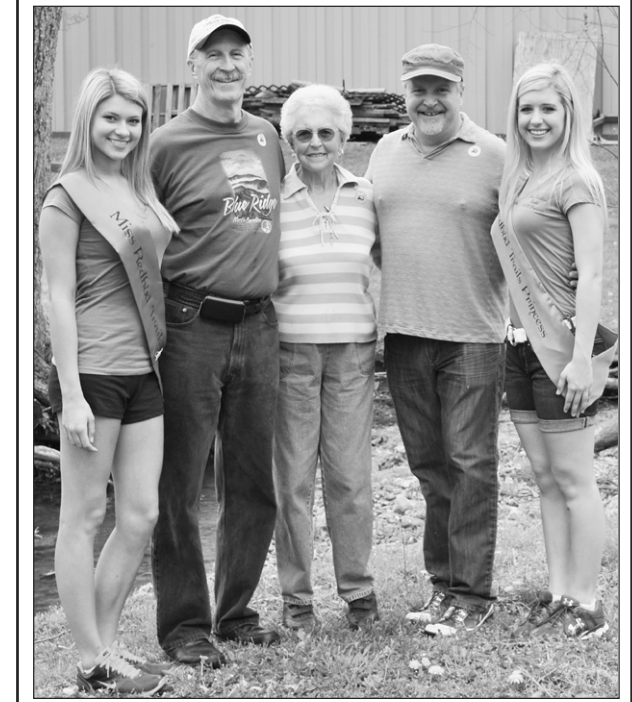
Walkers came from far and wide to take part in the annual event including one California man. Robby Robbins is a Mt. Vernon native, but now calls Santa Barbara California home. Robbins' father who now lives in North Carolina and his grandmother who still lives in the area also participated in the walk.

April is Redbud Month in Southern and Eastern Kentucky. The "Blooming with Good Health" Awareness Walk is just one of many events held in celebration of the month. Visit tourseky.com for a complete list of Redbud Month activities and events.

To find out how you can be a part of the Redbud Month festivities, contact Maggie Bill at 606-677-6093 or mbill@tourseky.com.



The sixth, seventh, and eighth grade Leadership Team members celebrated cancer survivors at RCMS. The Leadership Team welcomed 85 cancer survivors, cancer patients, and their families to the middle school on Thursday, April 5th for the 5th annual "Night of Hope." Guests enjoyed music by the RCMS Choir, under the direction of Ms. Cassandra Smith. Leadership Team members served a catered meal by Backporch Smokehouse and passed out many door prizes. The keynote speaker for the event was Sam Dick, WKYT news anchor and cancer survivor. The evening ended with a special presentation to the Rockcastle Regional Hospital's Hope Fund, which will provide help with transportation for local cancer patients who must travel for treatments. It was a wonderful night of celebrating the brave cancer patients in our community!



Shelbie Pettey - Miss Redbud Trails 2012, Terry Robbins, Geraldine Robbins, Robby Robbins, and Ashley Johnson - Miss Redbud Trails Princess 2012 shown at the Redbud Health Walk.

Redbud Motorcycle Ride is April 21st

April is Redbud Month in Southern and Eastern Kentucky. TOUR Southern and Eastern Kentucky (TOUR SEKY) is excited to announce its third annual Redbud Motorcycle Ride along the Red River Gorge National Scenic Byway. The Ride is set for April 21st, 2012 with registration from 10:00 am - 11:30 am.

Riders will cruise from the Slade Welcome Center in Powell County (near Natural Bridge State Resort Park). Registration for the non-guided ride is at the Train Depot in the Old Town section of Berea. Registration is \$10 for singles and \$15 for doubles. Riders who bring a completed liability waiver to registration will receive a \$5 discount. To receive a copy of the waiver, or more information about the ride, e-mail Maggie Bill, mbill@tourseky.com.

At the end of the ride, the first 200 participants will receive a free t-shirt, redbud seedlings and be held rain or shine. Proceeds from the ride will go toward the Redbud Trails Program. You can learn more about the Redbud Trails Program and Redbud Month events by visiting www.tourseky.com.

The Redbud Trails program is an initiative of Congressman Hal Rogers (KY 5th Dist). The program was created in 2004 to encourage and promote tourism in Southern and Eastern Kentucky. More than 450,000 Redbud trees and seedlings have been planted in TOUR's 47 county service area and thousands more will be planted in 2012. Schools, non-profit organizations and community leaders have all participated in the redbud seedling giveaways and plantings.

TOUR SEKY is an award winning initiative of Congressman Hal Rogers. The organization's mission is to educate, expand, develop and market the existing and potential tourism industry throughout the southern and eastern Kentucky, while contributing to the economic, cultural growth, health and awareness, and overall quality of life of the region. For additional information about TOUR SEKY visit www.tourseky.com, or call 606-677-6093.



Keynote speaker Sam Dick asked cancer survivors to join him on the stage for a picture, which was later aired on WKYT.



Eighth grade Leadership Team member Brooklyn Bishop, accompanied by her brother, Dylan, provided inspiration through song.



Sixth graders Cora Machal and Carlee Cash performed "The Broken Road" for guests at the 5th annual "Night of Hope."

Triathlon training at Rockcastle Regional

A training titled "So you want to do a triathlon" is scheduled for Saturday, April 28th from 2-4 p.m. at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. Hosted by WKYT News Anchor Sam Dick, a veteran triathlete, this program is for anyone who has thought about swimming, biking, and running.

"You don't have to be a super athlete to participate in a sprint triathlon, and it's a great way to work towards being more fit, and having fun," says Sam. "The experience of crossing the finish line is indescribable no matter how fast you are, and you just might get hooked on one of the fastest growing sports in America."

During this 2-hour class he will show you the basics of what you need, which local races might fit you best, rules of triathlon, a demonstration of a transition, options for going faster, and do's and don'ts for race day. We'll also give you a six-week training program for beginners.

There is a \$25 charge per person for travel and program costs. If interested, RSVP to samdick56@gmail.com.



Sam Dick, WKYT news anchor and cancer survivor, provided an inspirational message for the crowd of 85 cancer survivors, cancer patients, and their families, at Rockcastle County Middle School on Thursday evening.

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News from the Rockcastle Courthouse

Circuit Civil Suits

Dennis and Donna Doan, property on the waters of Calloway Branch, to George and Angelia Borojevich. Tax \$160.

Ethel Maureen Deatherage, property on Old Conway Road, to Russell Tim Foley. Tax \$30.

Stephen and Patricia Spencer, property in Rockcastle County, to Christopher Shane Smith. Tax \$44.

Clifford Howard, property on Chappell Lane Road, to Clifford and Nancy Howard. No tax.

Earl and Georgia Howard, property on Mossy Hollow Road, to Clifford and Nancy Howard. No tax.

Earl and Georgia Howard, property on KY 1123, to Clifford Howard and Earl and Georgia Howard. No tax.

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William David Gibson, property in Rockcastle County, to Sherman and Sharon Denise Lovell. Tax \$4.

Citizens Bank, property in the Rockcastle Multi-County Industrial Park, to Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority and County of Rockcastle. Tax \$2,400.

Luther W. and Yvonda L. Center, property on Lambert Road, to Luther Willis Center, Jr., Stephen Douglas Center and Luther W. and Yvonda L. Center. No tax.

Wells Fargo Bank vs. Kenneth Ray Owens, \$102,835.95 plus claimed due.

Sandra Bullock vs. Johnny Abner, complaint.

Rockcastle Regional Hospital vs. Donald R. Hopkins, Jr., \$5,244.13 plus claimed due.

Gregory Allen Hatfield vs. Melissa Kay Hatfield, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Kayla Brook Lear Skinner vs. Dallas B. Skinner, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Paul Hayes vs. Makayla Hayes, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Asset Acquisition Group LLC vs. Boyd Durham, et al, \$5,815.47 plus claimed due. CI-00077

District Civil Suits

LVNV Funding LLC vs. Earl Hammond, \$1,002.03 plus claimed due.

Citibank vs. Tammy D. Weaver, \$3,404.63 plus claimed due.

Allstate Insurance Company vs. Kenneth Scott Morgan, \$2,140.96 plus claimed due.

World Finance Corp. vs. Marcus Huff, \$3,266.97 plus claimed due.

Midland Funding LLC vs. Sherri Kelsay, \$670.24 claimed due. C-00063

Deeds Recorded

Danny Dale and Shawna K. Ingram, property in Rockcastle County, to Thomas L. and Novella Elliott. Tax \$140.

Ruby Sayers, property in Rockcastle County, to Karen Fay Bullock and Karla Kay Bullock. No tax.

Marriage Licenses

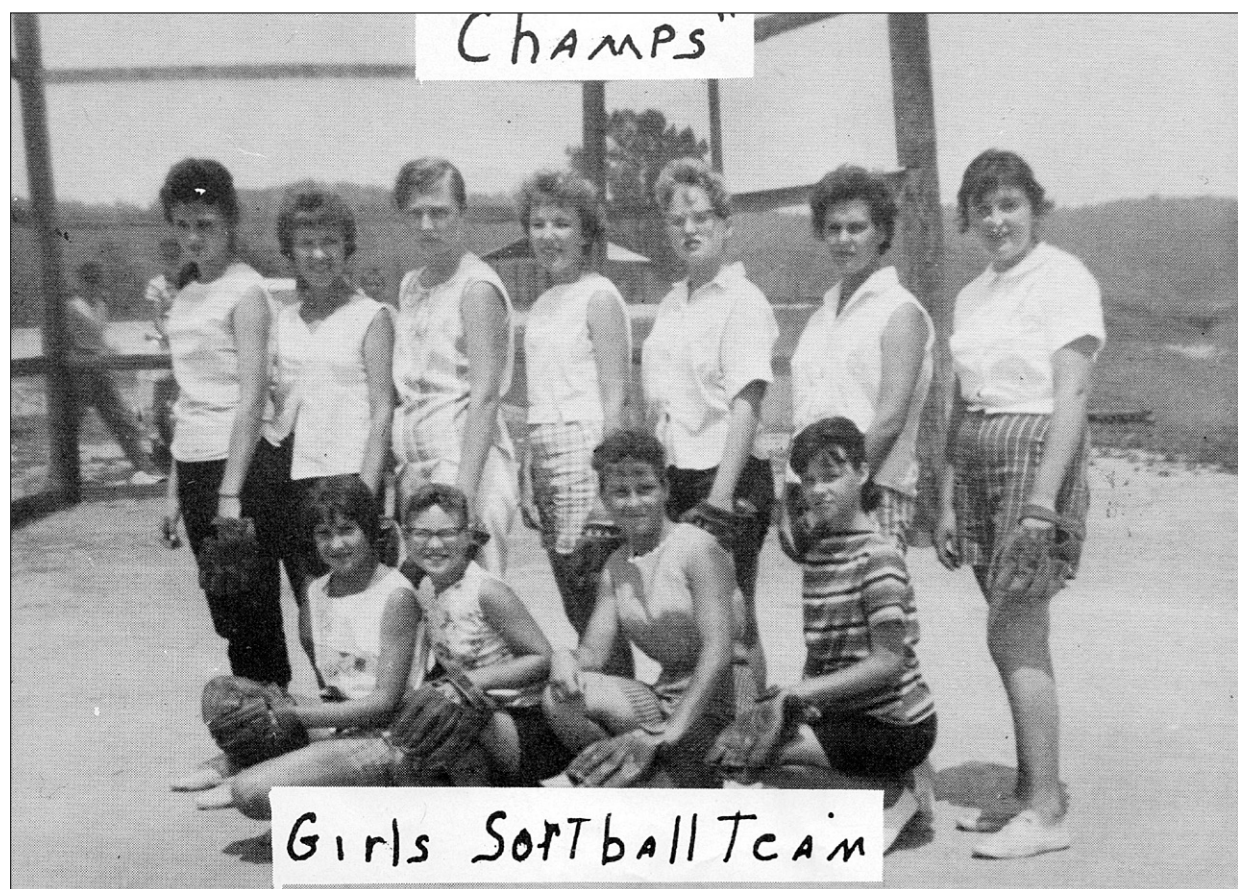
Candace Ariel Damrell, 19, Berea, Dairy Queen, to James Michael Lear, 18, Berea, Dairy Queen. 3/30/12.

Sarah Leann Snow, 18, Brodhead, student to Michael Cromer, 20, Brodhead, self-employed. 4/4/12.



Blast from the Past!!!

This week's photographs feature Livingston. The top photo shows the 1933 Livingston Blue Devils basketball team. They were the 26th District Runners-Up. They lost in the championship game to Williamsburg. This photo is courtesy of Pat McCarron. His great-grandfather Bob McCarron is shown front center holding the runner-up cup. Also has identified his great uncles Dave and Terry McCarron. This photo was taken behind the old Sue Bennett gym where the tournament was played, This photograph is from the forth coming book, Before consolidation: The Golden Years of Rockcastle Basketball. The bottom picture is of the 1962 Livingston girls softball team that went undefeated during the regular season and also won the Rockcastle County Recreation tournament. If you have a photograph of Blast From The Past contact David Owens at 606-256-9870 or scoopowens24@yahoo.com.



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Annual event is Friday, April 20th

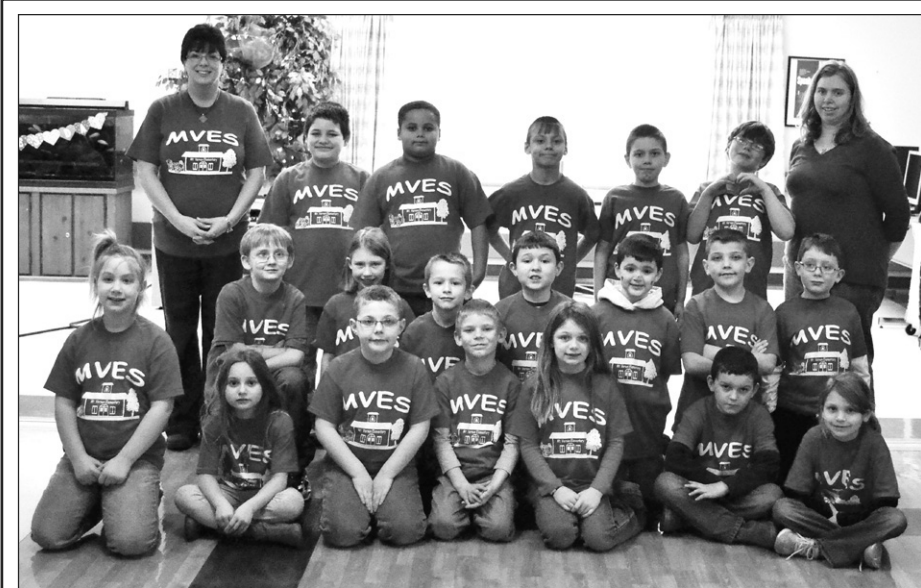
RCHS Band Theme Party and Auction

The Rockcastle High School Band Boosters invite you to their 7th annual Theme Party and Auction, Friday evening, April 20, in the RCHS cafeteria at 6 p.m.

This delightful event offers an evening of catered dining, live entertainment, and an auction. Our auctioneer does an outstanding job entertaining the crowd and the local auction items are always the favorites—from homemade cakes, fudge and pies to handmade brooms, baskets and more; the auction is a great way for local talent to show off your wares. In addition, local businesses are invited to participate in the show and auction through table sponsorship and donation of auction items.

Table sponsorship is easy and is a great way to advertise your business. Table sponsors are asked to provide table decorations and a place setting for six (place setting can be "real" or disposable) and the donation of one or more auction items. Auction item examples include free or discount coupons for services offered, tickets, sample products, discount on items purchased, or donation of any item of interest. Auction items do not have to match the table theme. Table sponsors may also take the opportunity to set up early (5:00pm) to allow patrons to browse and to ask questions about the product or services being offered. Contact Sherry Harper at 606-336-4669 or Anita Nation at 606-219-0908 to sponsor a table

or for more information. There will also be door prizes and plenty of fun. Proceeds from this annual event benefit the RCHS Marching Rockets. The Marching Rockets have already begun preparations for their 2012 Marching Season and will continue to rehearse throughout the summer and into the fall. The Marching Rockets are looking forward to another exciting season as they set their sights on a third Sweet Sixteen State Finals appearance. Tickets for the Theme Party and Auction are Adults \$10, Children \$6. Tickets are available for purchase at the Rockcastle County Board of Education c/o Anita Nation anita.nation@rockcastle.kyschools.us or at MVES c/o Sherry Harper, sherryharper@rockcastle.kyschools.us.



Mrs. Paula Cowan's 2nd grade class recently took a trip to Rockcastle Regional Hospital. This was part of Mrs. Michelle Martin's leadership project needed for her Eastern Kentucky University requirements for student teaching. While at the hospital, the students recited lines from a Valentine's Day book. The students also passed out cards that they had made to the patients that came to the community room to watch their 2nd grade performance. Mrs. Paula Cowan's 2nd grade class is very appreciative of the staff at Rockcastle Regional Hospital as well as the patients who supported their efforts in reading and being involved in their community.



Pictured are students from the Blue Pod with Roxy the Rockcastle Regional Dog.

Tiger Pause

Brodhead Elementary served as a collection site

for supplies to donate to those who were hit by the

severe weather from a few weeks past. BES students collected 1,200 dollars and over 400 supply items for tornado victims in Menifee County.

Mt. Vernon Message

School News
Thursday, April 12 is the Three Piggy Opera performance by our kindergarten students. The a.m. group will perform at 6:00p.m. The p.m. group will perform at 7:00p.m.

school year will take place on Saturday, April 28 from 9:00 until 2:00. Please bring the following items with you to registration: A certified copy of your child's birth certificate, Social Security Card or a verification sheet from the Social Security Administration, Updated Immunization Certificate, Physical, Eye Exam and Dental Exam.

Rockcastle Regional Hospital was a guest speaker during specials on Monday afternoon. The hospital staff presented healthy living to kindergarten, 1st, and 2nd students. Their message encouraged students to work toward becoming healthy decision maker on healthy food selections and hygiene importance. The students were encouraged to make these choices with the help of Roxy the Dog. Thanks to Rockcastle Regional Hospital for the message to promote a healthy lifestyle for our student.

UNITE Annual Meeting and Celebration is scheduled for Thursday, April 12 at 6:00p.m. at Rockcastle County Middle School. MVES UNITE Club will perform!
Registration for Kindergarten for 2012-2013 school year will take place on Saturday, April 21 from 9:00 until 2:00. Registration for Preschool for 2012-2013

FRC News
MVES FRC Council meeting will take place on Tuesday, April 17 in the FRC Office at 12:00.
FRC Enrichment classes continue to meet each Monday from 3:10 until 4:25.

We're Selling the Country!

This is only a partial list of our available property.

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Watch for different listings next week.

HOMES FOR SALE

Cozy Country Setting! This 2006 model, 16 x 60 vinyl sided mobile home features a LR, Kit/Din combo, 2 BR, 2 BA, and Utility room. Other amenities include front and rear deck, electric heat and central air, city water, septic system, stove, refrigerator, dishwasher and microwave, situated on 1/2 acre m/l. Call today for an appointment to view this property. \$41,500. M2664

New Listing!! Breathtaking View! This beautiful piece of property is located on the Rockcastle River. There's approx. 2 1/2 acres with a metal garage bldg. that features living quarters consisting of 2 BR, 2 BA, LR and a DR/Kit combo. Amenities include: well water, perimeter fencing and central h/a. City water is also available. This would be ideal for a weekend getaway or a retreat to hunt and fish. This one won't last long ... priced at only \$59,900. Call today for your appointment! MLS8897223

Convenient Location... is what this home offers being within minutes from the schools, grocery store and major highways. This charming, vinyl siding home consists of 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA, and is situated on a corner lot. Included is a partially finished, full basement with ample space to use as another bedroom. Amenities include: central h/a, city water, 1-car garage, and nice back porch. Priced at \$94,900. MLS8896837

1998 Fleetwood Double-wide. This vinyl sided doublewide features 3 BR, 2 BA, Eat-in Kitchen, LR and Utility room. Other amenities include: city water, septic system, storage bldg., storm shelter, central air, elec. furnace, and a creek. All situated on 9 acres +/- . Priced at \$49,900. MLS8897135

Charming!! This nice 3 BR, 1.5 BA home is situated on a nice lot and convenient to Mt. Vernon/Berea. Other amenities include: electric heat, gas fireplace, kitchen appliances, city water and more. Don't wait, make your appt. today, priced to sell at \$48,500. MLS8897094

Spacious Ranch Brick House... located in Mt. Vernon with fenced lot. Home has 4 BR, 2 BA, central heat/air, large kitchen and priced at \$65,900. MLS8897074

A Cozy Feel... This vinyl sided home features a LR, eat-in kitchen, 2 BR, and 1 BA. Other amenities include electric baseboard heat, window unit AC, covered front porch, city water and city sewer. Priced at \$36,000. MLS8897067

Just Starting Out? This 3 BR, 2 BA 1,044 sq. ft. home is situated on 4 acres +/- and features a LR, Kit, walk-out basement and a 1-car attached garage. Call for more details or your appointment to view this property! MLS8896914

LOTS/LAND

Beauty! This 26.53 acre tract is just beautiful. This could be a great building site or hunters paradise. Call for more details. \$69,900. MLS# 8897104

Restricted lot in Houston Pt. Subdivision. Lot has city water and measures 1/2 acre. Located in a well established area among some of Rockcastle's nicest homes. \$10,900. M2742

22 Acres +/- in a convenient location. Easy access. This property is approx. 1 mile from the Brodhead city limits and has possible building sites. This would be ideal for hunting and fishing. \$65,900. MLS8897131

26 acres of pasture land + 15 acres of hay. There are two barns, a corral and loading area and 2 springs. The property is fenced and ready for you to view! \$120,000. MLS8897142

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

If you're looking for a commercial lot with city water and city sewer available in the heart of the famous Renfro Valley, then call today! \$28,000. MLS#8897095

Check it out! A commercial, metal building situated on 1.63 acres and features a waiting area, office bathroom, upstairs storage, and a 3-bay garage area. Other amenities include: city water, city sewer, oil heat, concrete floors, and a chain link fence. All hand tools and equipment are included. \$150,000. MLS8897123

New Listing!! This commercial lot located at Renfro Valley has 130 feet of blacktop road frontage along Hwy. 25. City water and city sewer available. \$25,000. M2752

New Listing!! Commercial property can be used for multi-purposes. Storage bldg. - office - shed. Priced at \$79,900. M2751

FUTURE AUCTIONS

<p>Absolute Auction of Trucks, Backhoe Tractor & Equipment Fri., April 13th at 5:30 p.m. 16121 Hwy 1247, Waynesburg</p> <p>Absolute Estate Auction of the late Mr. Dempsey Hansel's House and Lot Sat., April 14th at 10:00 a.m. 853 Big Cave Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky</p> <p>Absolute Auction of Mr. & Mrs. Wilford Purcell's 20 Acres in Tracts House, Barns & Equipment Saturday, April 14th at 10:30 a.m. 1005 Dahl Elrod Road, Somerset, KY</p>	<p>Absolute Auction of Mr. Terry Harris' Trucks ~ Equipment ~ Tools Sat., April 14th at 1:30 p.m. 201 Big Sinks Road - Brodhead, KY</p> <p>Absolute Auction Prime Commercial Property, Large Concrete Building, Metal Garage and 0.80 acre more or less Sat., April 14th at 10:30 a.m. 12360 Hwy 421 S, Tyner, KY</p> <p>Formerly Hacker's Furniture and Auto Sales Absolute Auction of Large Commercial Building + 0.8 acres Saturday, April 14th at 10:30 a.m. 12360 Hwy 421, Tyner, KY</p>	<p>Absolute Auction of Commercial Building and Laundry Equipment Friday, April 20th at 5:30 p.m. EST 980 N. Hwy 27, Whitley City, Ky</p> <p>Absolute Auction of Car Wash Property & Equipment Friday, April 20th at 11:00 a.m CST Maple St, Russell Springs, Ky</p> <p>Absolute Auction of 16 Acres in Tracts and 7 Residential Lots Saturday, April 21st at 10:30 a.m. Serenity Subdivision, Somerset, Ky</p>
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Justin Moore and Gretchen Wilson to be at Renfro Valley this weekend

This upcoming weekend Renfro Valley Entertainment Center will welcome two of today's hottest country music artists to the New Barn Theater.

First on Friday night, April 13th, will be one of the newest country music singers out of Nashville, Justin Moore. Justin was born in Poyen, Arkansas; population 272 where he'd was raised by his parents on the family's 100 acres of land. One would have to go to Poyen to really get a sense of just how "small town" it is. There are no street lights, mostly dirt roads, a florist in an old trailer and one filling station; however, as Justin sings in his single, "Small Town USA," it's where "everybody knows me and I know them and that's the way I believe we were supposed to live." Listening to the lyrics, you know Justin's music is from the heart and that he wouldn't want to have been raised anywhere else.

Justin has been singing since he was 2, and at 8 years old he won the talent contest at Poyen High School. He grew up singing gospel songs in church and listening to nothing but Country music. A student of the genre, Justin can literally sing thousands of Country songs, from old to new, word-for-word and melody-perfect.

When Justin packed up and moved to Nashville right after high school at age 18, he already had a manager and an offer as a writer/artist with Zomba Music Publishing. As things often go in the music busi-

ness, Zomba got sold and Justin wound up signing his writing deal with Big Picture Music, headed by Keith Stegall, renowned producer of Alan Jackson, among others.

Through his attorney, Justin was introduced to young up-and-coming producer, Jeremy Stover and, as a result, Jeremy became both Justin's producer and main co-writer. This quickly led to a recording offer with Scott Borchetta's The Valory Music Co. And, while it took a few years to materialize, Justin patience and willingness to wait for the opportunity to work with Scott and his staff at Big Machine Records/The Valory Music Company (home to Taylor Swift, Reba, Jewel and Jimmy Wayne) more than paid off.

Since bursting onto the Country music scene, Justin has been lauded as Billboard's "New Country Artist of 2009" and received nominations for the 2010 CMT Music Awards "Nationwide On Your Side" Award for emerging artists as well as Music Row Magazine's Breakthrough Artist of 2010. Justin became the only new Country artist last year to earn #1 single status (for his hometown anthem "Small Town USA"). The success of "Small Town USA" made the Arkansas native the first solo artist to have a song from his/her debut album go to #1 since Taylor Swift's "Our Song" (from her Big Machine Records self-titled release) in December 2007. His new single, "How I Got To Be This Way" has already reached Top 40 status.

Justin's self-titled album, which debuted on the Billboard Top 200's Top 10, was recognized as one of the Best Albums of 2009 in The New York Times' "The Year in the Arts" list by music critic Jon Caramanica - no small feat for a small town boy. As the approximately 1 million fans to whom Justin played in 2009 will attest, the rising star's live band show is high energy, non-stop, rockin' country, where his songs tell the truth about a kid from a small town who's doing all he ever wanted to do -- play Country music.

Next, on Saturday April 14th, will be the "Redneck Woman" herself, Gretchen Wilson! To all appearances, Gretchen Wilson went overnight from talented obscurity to phenomenon. Her meteoric rise, the kind experienced by only a handful of artists in the past few decades, was that rare instance where talent and moment meet to form a cultural tidal wave. Still, she knows better than anyone the simple force that fueled it. "The reason I've been successful is that I've been genuine from the get-go," she says, "and I continue to try to do that. I'm an open book." It helps that the identity she wears so guilelessly is one that resonates strongly with fans of country and Southern rock--the independent, take-no-guff, hard-working and hard-partying country girl. Gretchen's ability to inhabit

that persona publicly, as well as her flair for tailoring songs as gorgeously rough-edged as she is, have given her the kind of "I am what I sing" originality few women in country music history--Loretta, Tammy, Dolly and Tanya chief among them--have ever been able to achieve. Set as it was within the broader scope of the Muzik Mafia, a talented and audaciously original ensemble, and like-minded entertainers from Kid Rock to Hank Jr., her rise was part of a genuine musical and cultural groundswell. Her first single, "Redneck Woman," spent six weeks at #1; her debut album, Here For The Party, sold more than five million copies; she won across-the-board awards including a Grammy and ACM, CMA and AMA nods for best female vocalist; and she toured to large and raucous crowds around the world.

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Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 10-CI-00312

PNC Mortgage, a Division of PNC Bank, National Association, Successor by Merger to National City Mortgage, a Division of National City Bank Plaintiff

V.

Jeffrey Taylor Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on February 23, 2012 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of SIXTY EIGHT THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 59/100 (\$68,455.59) 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, April 20, 2012
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

739 Grace Baptist Church, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

EXCLUSION I:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the Conway Section of Rockcastle County, Kentucky, and being more fully described as follows:

Beginning at a 1/2" conduit with a plastic cap stamped RLS #2773 in the North right of way of Hansford Road and being a corner to Emanuel Damrell; thence going with the line of Damrell N 02 38' 41" W 471.04 feet to a 1/2" conduit with a plastic cap stamped RLS #2773; thence S 78 53' 34" W, 344.17 feet to a set 1/2" conduit with a plastic cap stamped RLS #2773, said point being a corner between Damrell, Johnny Sparkman and Donald Begley; thence going with the line of Begley S 47 22' 09" E, 130.48 feet to a 1/2" conduit with a plastic cap stamped #2773, said point being a corner between Begley and Frank Lewis; thence going with the Lewis line S 25 38' 59" E, passing a corner between Lewis and Ronnie Lanham and going in all 333.96 feet to a 1/2" conduit with a plastic cap stamped RLS #2773 in the line of Lanham; thence going with the line of Lanham S 74 03' 46" W, 160.10 feet to a 1/2" conduit with a plastic cap stamped RLS #2773 in the East right of way of Ramsey Road and a corner to Lanham; thence going with said right of way S 01 27' 09" W, 49.60 feet; S 12 39' 49" W, 210.42 feet; thence S 71 16' 50" E, 21.50 feet to a point in the North right of way of Hansford Road; thence going with the North right of way of Hansford Road the following calls; N 53 45' 08" E, 73.49 feet; N 39 37' 12" E 91.03 feet; N 30 20' 15" E, 156.12 feet; N 47' 51" E, 89.65 feet; N 81 51' 55" E, 15.75 feet to the point of beginning and containing 3.0 acres.

EXCLUSION II:

A certain tract of land located on the east side of Ramsey Road near the intersection of Ramsey Road and Hansford Road, near Roundstone in Rockcastle County, Kentucky and further described as follows:

Beginning at an existing 1/2" conduit pipe with a plastic cap stamped RLS 2773 said pin being a common corner to Dennis Potter (Deed Book 170, page 151), and Emanuel Damrell (Deed Book 163, page 592); thence going with the original lines of Potter and Damrell one (1) call; S 78 57' 18" W 343.52 feet to a set 1/2" rebar pin 18" long with a cap stamped L.S. 3205; said pin being a common corner to Donald Begley (Deed Book 147, page 182) and Johnny Sparkman (Deed Book 149, Page 672); thence leaving the lie of Potter with the line of Sparkman one (1) call: N 47 01' 16" W 106.02 feet to an existing 1/2" rebar pin with a cap stamped 670 said pin being in the line of Pauline Eaton (source of title unknown); thence leaving the line of Sparkman with the line on Eaton one (1) call: N 26' 35' 42" E 213.00 feet to a set 1/2" rebar pin 18" long with cap stamped L. S. 3205; thence leaving the line of Eaton with new lines dividing the lands of Damrell two (2) calls: S 59 43' 00" E 367.16 feet to set 1/2" rebar pin 18" long with a cap stamped L.S. 3205; S 11 06' 26" E, 12.00 feet to the true point of beginning and containing 1.29 acres, more or less as per survey performed by Rick Isaacs, a licensed land surveyor of American Heritage Land Surveyors and said survey being performed on April 01, 1999, and being a portion of the property owned by Emanuel Damrell and being recorded in Deed Book 163 at page 592 in the Rockcastle County Court Clerk's office.

EASEMENT:

Beginning at an existing 1/2" conduit pipe with a plastic cap stamped 2773 a common corner to Dennis Potter and Emanuel Damrell; thence going with the original line of Potter and Damrell one (1) call; N 02 37' 55" W 471.07 feet to an existing 1/2" conduit pipe with a cap stamped 2773 an original corner to Potter and Damrell; thence going with the new lines of Damrell one (1) call; N 11 06' 26" W 12.00 feet to a 1/2" rebar pin 18" long the above described line of being the West line of said easement. The easement is to have a width of 25 feet running throughout its length and lies on the East side of the above mentioned lines.

Being the same property conveyed to Jeffrey Taylor, a single person, from Virgil Scott Robinson and Andrea L. Robinson, husband and wife, by Deed dated June 6, 2007 and recorded October 25, 2007 in Deed Book 218, Page 499 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Court Clerk.

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

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. Unpaid taxes of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
4. The purchaser shall pay the 2012 local, county and state property taxes.
5. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
6. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
7. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
8. 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 I Civil Action No. 08-CI-00336

**Community Trust Bank, Inc.,
Successor in Interest to Community
Trust Bank, N.A.** Plaintiff

V.

Greg Richards, et al Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on February 24, 2012 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendant in the amount of FORTY EIGHT THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED THIRTEEN DOLLARS AND 56/100 (\$48,113.56) 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, April 20, 2012
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Parcel No. 1:

Lots No. 4 and 5 of the Everett Thomas lots shown on plat of same recorded in Office of the Clerk of the Rockcastle County Court in Plat Book 4, Page 125, Slide #350. Lot No. 4 contains 0.33 acre and Lot No. 5 contains 0.37 acre and both lots front on Vista Drive. Reference is made to said plat for a more complete description of said lots.

This property is also secured by a 1994 Belmont Mobile home, Serial #MSB941680SN9796.

Greg Richards and wife Rebecca Richards obtained title to Parcel No. 1 by deed dated August 29, 2000, executed by Adam D. Coleman, et ux. of record in Deed Book 181, page 120 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

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

1. Parcel 1 and the mobile home shall be sold together as a whole.
2. 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.
3. 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.
4. Unpaid taxes of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
5. The purchaser shall pay the 2012 local, county and state property taxes.
6. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
7. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
8. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
9. 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 I Civil Action No. 11-CI-00236

**Fifth Third Mortgage
Company** Plaintiff

V.

Debra Delaney, et al Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on February 16, 2012 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of FORTY NINE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FORTY DOLLARS AND 48/100 (\$49,740.48) 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, April 20, 2012
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Property Address: 55 Center Street, Mount Vernon, KY 40456

Being all of Lots 34, 35, 36 and 37 as shown on plat of record in Deed Book 47, Page 207, in the Office of the Clerk of the Rockcastle County Court. Said lots have a frontage of 25 feet on Center Street and run back a distance of 100 feet.

Eddie R. Delaney and wife Debra L. Delaney obtained title to the real property by survivorship deed dated April 25, 2000, executed by Vicky Farthing, unmarried, of record in Deed Book 179, page 360 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk. Eddie R. Delaney died on November 14, 2009.

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

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. Unpaid taxes of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
4. The purchaser shall pay the 2012 local, county and state property taxes.
5. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
6. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
7. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
8. 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
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Notices

Notice is hereby given that Ralph B. Shearer, 1077 Rhodella Dr., Richmond, Ky. 40475 and Harold E. Shearer, 284 Blue Lick Road, Berea, Ky. 40403 have been appointed co-executors of the estate of Dorothy E. Martin on the 19th day of March, 2012. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Ralph B. Shearer and Harold E. Shearer or to Hon. Debra Hembree Lambert, P.O. Box 1094, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 - 1094 on or before Sept. 19, 2012 at 11 a.m.

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Notice is hereby given that Janine A. Norman, P.O. Box 57, Renfro Valley, Ky. 40473 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Owen T. Norman, Sr. on the 28th day of March, 2012. Any person having claims against said estate shall

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Notice is hereby given that George W. Griffith, P.O. Box 1284, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed executor of the estate of Ruth McBee Armstrong on the 19th day of March, 2012. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the aid George W. Griffith or to Hon. John D. Ford, 45 E. Main St., P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before Sept. 19, 2012 at 11 a.m.

2012 at 11 a.m. 16x3

Notice is hereby given that Linda K. Wilson, P.O. Box 118, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 and Eugenia R. Hardwick, 1080 Edwards Road, Crab Orchard, Ky. 40419 have been appointed co-administrators of the estate of Harold Ray Ball on the 19th day of March, 2012. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Linda K. Wilson and Eugenia R. Hardwick or to Hon. John D. Ford, 45 East Main St., P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before Sept. 19, 2012 at 11 a.m.

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Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 11-CI-00235

Kentucky Housing Corporation

Plaintiff

v.

Brandi N. Sexton; Citizens Bank

Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to judgment and orders of sale entered in this action on February 10, 2012 for the purpose of satisfying the parties' judgments against the defendant Brandi N. Sexton in the total amount of FORTY SEVEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FORTY-NINE DOLLARS AND 45/100 (\$47,949.45) plus interest and costs. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter-real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

At the Courthouse on East Main Street Mt. Vernon, Kentucky on Friday, April 13, 2012 Beginning at the Hour of 1:30 p.m.

RR 1 Box 295A, Brodhead, Rockcastle County, Kentucky 40409
 Beginning at a railroad spike in the East side of Highway No. 70 and bring corner to Jim Bussell; thence going with the east side of said road S 19 08' 42" W, 198.33 feet to found iron pin on the east side of said road and a corner to Eugene Sparkman; thence leaving said road and going with the line of Sparkman S 78 degree 54' 49" E 147.09 feet to a found post, said point being a corner between Sparkman and Johnny L. Craig; thence going with line of Craig N 72 01' 46" E, 101.58 feet to a found post; thence leaving the line of Craig and going N 34 19' 51" W, 207.92 feet to a point in the line of Jim Bussell; thence going with the Bussell line N 77 52' 34" W, 60.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Brandi N. Sexton by deed dated September 8, 2006 of record in Deed Book 212, Page 379 in the Office of the Clerk of Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

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

- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of ninety (90) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price down in cash on the date of sale by either certified or cashiers check with the balance of the sale price due together with interest thereon at the rate of (12%) per annum to be secured with a sale bond with sufficient surety approved by the Master Commissioner, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum.
- Unpaid taxes or liens of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale (subject to the priority set out elsewhere in this judgment).
- The buyer(s) shall pay the 2011 local, county and state property taxes.
- The buyer(s) shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
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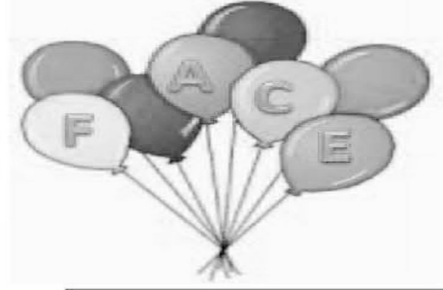


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